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COMMISSIONER AND ENGINEER

COUNCIL SEEKING TO AVOID ALL FRICTION

Ald. Mable Looks for Trouble if Present Plans Are Car- ried Out.

At last evening's meeting of the city council Mayor Hall took occasion to say when the report of the streets, sewers and bridges committee of the city council had been received, that the report in the Times of that evening alleging friction had developed between the water commissioner and the city engineer was absolutely without foundation. The debate which resulted when the resolution defining the duties of the two officials came to be considered by the board made Mayor Hall's denial seem out of place, for Ald. Mable distinctly stated that friction had developed, and he believed that more trouble would result.

The report contained the draft of a resolution that had been passed recommending that hereafter all construction work, alterations and repairs requiring engineering skill in connection with the affairs of the water department shall be performed and carried out by the city engineer.

The report was about to be taken as read and adopted, when Ald. Mable rose and protested against the passage of the resolution as drawn. He favored the council going slow in the matter of defining the respective duties of the water commissioner and the city engineer. Friction had already developed, and he could "see more trouble ahead" if such a resolution were passed.

Ald. Turner said he did not want to see any trouble between the two officials or the two departments. What he personally was desirous of seeing done was to empower the city engineer to have supreme control over all classes of work of whatever description. He did not see the force of the argument that the city engineer might be indisposed as a professional man to make a report to a non-professional man—the water commissioner. The city engineer was doing the same thing all the time when he reported to the city council and took his instructions from that body.

Ald. Fullerton was of the opinion that the council would have to amend the by-law if they wished to enlarge the powers of the city engineer in respect to control of waterworks matters.

Ald. Mable insisted that should the resolution pass in its present form they could look for trouble.

Mayor Hall said that personally he did not think that there was any danger of friction arising. Mr. Raymer, the water commissioner, was quite willing to meet the wishes of the council in the matter.

Ald. Turner suggested that it might perhaps be as well for the water commissioner, the city engineer and the city solicitor to get together and draw up a resolution to meet the case. This would no doubt be satisfactory to all concerned.

This suggestion was adopted, and the officials named will be asked to report the result of the conference to the city council.

HAYTI INSURGENTS SURPRISED TROOPS

Captured Several Towns With- out Resistance—Losses Were Considerable.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Cape Haytien, Oct. 19.—News reached here last night, giving brief details of a sanguinary engagement between the insurgents and the government troops at Canongu.

The insurgents were in ambush behind a hill, and made a surprise attack upon the advancing troops. There were considerable losses on both sides. Making a feint to re-enter Dajabon, the insurgents then proceeded to Guayubin and Sabana, which they captured without resistance. The loyal forces proceeded into Dajabon.

A Haytien postal carrier, who was captured, said the whole frontier was in the power of the insurgents. There is a rumor that La Vega is among the captured towns.

STOP-OVERS MAY BE CUT OUT BY RAILWAYS

New Form of Transcontinental Ticket Contract Being Drafted.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—The time-honored stop-over privileges on trans-continental tickets will become ancient history if plans being formulated to-day by the Western Passenger Association are carried out. A committee of the organization is drafting a form of ticket contract designed to cover the contingencies of travel in simple terms that any passenger may understand, in which shall be eliminated stop-overs.

A standard ticket is proposed which will be as simple as possible under the circumstances.

HAS NO DOUBT COOK REACHED THE POLE

Danish Sailor Talked With His Two Eskimos in Their Tongue.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Copenhagen, Oct. 19.—Capt. Scourby of the Danish government ship Godthaab, which has just arrived here after a northern voyage, declares that he has no doubt whatever that Dr. Frederick A. Cook reached the North Pole. Capt. Scourby can speak Eskimo perfectly, and he made inquiries among the natives and obtained at first-hand the report from Cook's two Eskimos. They both told the same story about the doctor's Pole journey.

MANN TALKS ISLAND LINE

SAYS ROAD SHOULD GO TO NORTH END

Vice-President of Canadian Northern is Concluding Ne- gotiations.

D. D. Mann, of the firm of McKenzie & Mann, vice-president of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, who has been in the city since Friday last conferring with the provincial government in respect to the matter of aid for the extension of a line of railway through British Columbia to the coast, was interviewed by the Times this morning as to the progress of the negotiations.

Mr. Mann said it appeared likely that his company would reach an agreement with the government. He hoped to be able to start on his journey east this evening. As to the nature of the proposals which had been discussed he could say nothing—obviously that would have to come from Premier McBride.

Mr. Mann was asked if Vancouver Island would figure in the programme for railway construction, which the Canadian Northern would take up providing the negotiations with the government were successful. Turning to the reporter with great animation, Mr. Mann said:

"Why, look here. If a line of railway were constructed the whole length of the island, right through to the north end, you could not keep people away from this section of the province with a shot-gun."

"Well," asked the reporter, "would such a project fall within the plans of the Canadian Northern, or is it more likely to appeal to the C. P. R. which is already so largely interested in island railway enterprises?"

"As to that," replied Mr. Mann, "I can tell you that there is no part of British Columbia where the Canadian Northern does not hope to get some day, so as to share in the carrying trade of the country."

Continuing, Mr. Mann said, in reply to further questions, that the construction of a line of railway to the north end of Vancouver Island would mean the securing to Victoria of all the trade and traffic flowing to and from north and south. "It's a dead open and shut proposition," concluded Mr. Mann, as he hurried away to attend the meeting of the railway committee of the board of trade, which he had been asked to address.

SEVEN KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Eldorado, Ark., Oct. 19.—Seven employees were killed and three others persons injured by the explosion of a boiler at the plant of the Griffin Saw Mill Company, near Eldorado last night.

COOK TO RE-SCALE MOUNT MCKINLEY

Hopes it Will Silence Attacks On His Verac- ity.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 19.—In an interview here to-day with the United Press, Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Brooklyn explorer, made the announcement that he again is to brave hardships and death by leading an expedition for the records which he says he left on the summit of Mount McKinley, the highest mountain in Alaska.

Dr. Cook said that it would take two months for him to complete his arrangements for the trip, and that it would require three more months to reach Alaska and accomplish the feat. If the present plans of the explorer do not miscarry, he probably will start on his expedition early in the spring.

After this week Dr. Cook will cancel all of his lecture dates and devote his entire time to making preparations for the journey.

When asked if he was willing to stake the polar controversy on whether the Mount McKinley records were found, the explorer said:

"I could not do that. The polar records must stand for themselves. A malicious attack has been made on my veracity, and I hope that my journey to Mount McKinley will silence my detractors."

COUNCIL SEEKS MORE POWER

PETITION TO GO TO THE LEGISLATURE

Suggested Amendments to Act to Meet the Needs of the Corporation.

At last night's meeting of the city council, the report of the legislative committee was submitted. This recommended a long list of suggested amendments to the present act and the same will be forwarded to the annual meeting of the Union of Municipalities to be held in a short time for approval.

When the clause dealing with the desirability of obtaining legislation to allow of the city going ahead with the work of putting in laterals was reached, Ald. Raymond remarked that such legislation was imperative as Trutch street, which had lately been macadamized, was now being torn up from end to end by the gas company.

Ald. Turner, in respect to the clause dealing with the business tax, said that this tax was obviously unfair to the small trader. It was at present in no sense an equitable one. The proprietor of a big store should pay on the basis of what he carries.

Ald. Fullerton said that the best system to meet the case was that followed in New Zealand, where the rental valuation is the basis of the tax.

The report of the committee was as follows:

Gentlemen,—We, your committee on legislation, have given consideration to the amendments to the Municipal Clauses Act, which appear to your committee to be necessary in aid of good city government.

Your committee desire to repeat the suggestion, annually made for several years past, that the Union of Municipalities be invited to press upon the government a revision and consolidation of the Municipal Acts, grading the powers to be conferred and exer-

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FIRE DROVE CONVICTS OUT OF STRAWSTACK

All of Those Who Escaped From Salem Have Been Recaptured.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Salem, Ore., Oct. 19.—One of the two convicts remaining of the gang of five which escaped from the custody of penitentiary guards was severely wounded last evening, after which the other surrendered. Both were brought to Salem and are locked up safely to-day. The men took refuge in a straw stack. By a curious coincidence the farmer who owned the stack decided in the morning to burn it, and accordingly set it afire. This drove the convicts from their hiding place and they took refuge in some long grass.

Regarding the identity of the pair, the farmer telephoned the authorities at Independence, and City Marshal Feagles, at the head of a posse of citizens, went to the farm. The convicts, who had lain quiet in the meantime, were driven from cover by the posse. They were chased some distance towards a clump of brush, while the posse kept up a running fire. Mike Niehotich had to be shot down, and is severely but not fatally hurt. His companion, Albert Murray, surrendered.

Mr. Oliver will speak on a number of subjects which he did not have time to deal with on the occasion of his address here some days ago when he expounded his railway policy, and will lay clearly before the electorate the whole platform of the opposition by which it hopes to be able to encompass the defeat of a government which has been recalcitrant to its trust, and secure an administration which will conserve the true interests of the whole people, while at the same time throwing open the province for that development for which it is suffering to-day.

A cordial invitation is extended to Liberals from all the outlying districts to be present, especially from Oak Bay, Esquimalt, Nanaimo, Strathcona, and a large number from these sections of the island have signified their intention of being present. The chair will be taken sharp at 8 o'clock.



Liberal Rally

INSTITUTE HALL, VIEW STREET

TO-NIGHT AT 8 P. M.

SPEAKERS:
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RALPH SMITH, M. P.
SENATOR BOSTOOK.

JOHN OLIVER, Provincial Liberal Leader.

M. B. JACKSON will occupy the Chair

W. E. OLIVER ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDATURE

Ex-Reeve of Oak Bay Will Of- fer for Mayoralty of Vic- toria at Next Election.

W. E. Oliver, formerly reeve of Oak Bay, and at present a member of the municipal council of that section, authorizes the Times to announce that, agreeable to the wishes of many people who have asked him to do so, he will be a candidate for the office of mayor of Victoria at the forthcoming elections.

At an early date Mr. Oliver will take occasion to outline his views on all questions of civic policy. Mr. Oliver's decision to run for mayor is the first yet made by any of those whose names have been mentioned for the office. Mayor Hall will not again be a candidate, so he says. Ald. Henderson is said to have ambitions to occupy the chair of the chief magistrate, but he has not yet made any announcement of his intentions. The name of Ald. Turner has also been mentioned in connection with the mayoralty, but he is silent on the subject. Ex-Mayor Morley denies strenuously that he will be a candidate this year.

TO-NIGHT'S GREAT LIBERAL RALLY

BIG MEETING FOR INSTITUTE HALL

John Oliver, M. P., and Other Speakers Will Deliver Interesting Addresses.

At the instance of Ralph Smith, M. P., a great Liberal rally will be held this evening in Institute hall. View street, and opportunity will be given John Oliver, M. P., leader of the opposition in the legislature, to train his guns on the stronghold of the McBride government, firing the first shots in the election campaign which may be said to have opened, though there has been no official announcement from the seats of mighty in Parliament square.

Mr. Smith will deal with the Dominion government's railway policy, especially in respect to Vancouver Island. Senator Bostock will deliver an address, and another speaker will be M. B. Jackson, of this city, formerly of Hamilton, Manitoba.

In view of the importance of the issues to be discussed and with the certainty that some of the public questions now engaging attention will be treated in a forceful and vigorous fashion by the various speakers, it is believed that the attendance will be very large, and that the hall will be taxed to its capacity. Accommodation has, however, been reserved for ladies, who have been specially invited to attend.

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TRADE CANADA SHOULD GET

AUSTRALIAN DEMAND FOR LUMBER ACTIVE

This is Causing a Stronger Rate for Ocean Freight Along Coast.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Oct. 19.—The demand for lumber in Australia is showing activity and the call for sailing craft to carry lumber to that country is so marked that rates have firmed up to the extent of a couple of shillings. Chartering around thirty was the feature for Australian ports for a long time with, but few bottoms being fixed.

The west coast demand for lumber is also growing in extent, and the Panama orders show enough in sight to provide business for a number of steamers. However, steam tonnage to handle this business has already been taken.

The coastwise lumber market also shows a more active demand, with a slightly better rate in evidence for steam tonnage and a good inquiry for sailers, although there are plenty of these carriers in the market to take all the cargo that is offering.

In the wheat business there is little doing in the way of new charters, and the feeling is that market conditions are not favorable for the fixture of additional vessels until the fleet now loading and waiting orders has been disposed of.

BANKER STAYS IN JAIL.

Salem, Ore., Oct. 19.—The Supreme Court this morning handed down an opinion in the case of the state against J. Thorburn Ross, appealed from Multnomah county, affirming the decision of the lower court, but reversing it as to the jail sentence of 500 years, which is cut out, and set aside as being unconstitutional. This means that the banker will have to serve five years in the Oregon state penitentiary.

CITY BY GOLDEN GATE IN FESTIVAL ATTIRE

Rebuilding of City Being Cele- brated—Many Warships Taking Part.

(Times Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Oct. 19.—The city by the Golden Gate came into her own again to-day, when a million banners and more than half a million rejoicing people greeted the arrival of the new Don Gaspar de Portola upon his "discovery" of the new San Francisco.

When the modern imperator of the old Spaniard who discovered the peninsula stepped ashore at the Mission street wharf this morning his arrival was the signal for the beginning of five days' carnival and merriment. His arrival was proclaimed with the booming of cannon, the shrieking and roaring of steam whistles and the lusty, triumphant shouting of the sons of the new city.

With the city decorated profusely with the brilliant red and yellow of the Spanish emblem, no city full of people ever was more ready and prepared for a wholesale frolic. "Dull care" has been expelled absolutely by official and popular edict, and the city is given over to the pursuit of happiness. After the three and a half years of labor against terrible odds, through which the city has been lifted up from utter ruins and re-established on a larger and better scale than before its disaster, the time for rest and celebration has been set aside and is at hand.

"It's like the old town" is the expression of appreciation, heard everywhere about the streets and that is the highest compliment a native born San Franciscan can utter.

Don Gaspar de Portola seems to have brought back the spirit of old San Francisco—the city that was famed throughout the world for its love of frivolity and its ability to enjoy itself. With the official recognition of the rehabilitation of the city from the nations of the world, expressed in the presence of the war vessels of Great Britain, Germany, Italy, Holland and Japan, riding at anchor in the bay, with the toast offered by President Taft drunk by officials of all countries round the world at noon, San Francisco time, to-day, with expressions of praise, admiration and congratulations received from the official bodies of most of the great cities of America, the festival which opened this morning has taken on a world wide significance.

The spirit that prompted the government of France to send Ambassador Jusserand to present to the city a gold medal in commemoration of the reconstruction, is manifest throughout the world, and San Francisco is receiving congratulations from all the peoples of the earth upon the heroic, Herculean task which has been accomplished against difficulties which seemed insurmountable.

The parade was the most imposing military pageant that San Francisco ever saw, and with the uniforms of the men from the foreign ships, the flags and decorations, it offered a most appropriate opening for the week of festivities.

SPOKANE WOMEN NOT SUFFRAGISTS

Few Are Registering and of These Most Are School Teachers.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Spokane, Oct. 19.—Woman suffrage apparently does not appeal strongly to the women of this city, as there are only twenty registrations of women on the city's rolls to-day out of a possible 15,000.

Thirteen of the registered women voters are school teachers. As there are 200 school teachers in the city this is equivalent to seven registered women voters out of 15,000, or one registered woman voter for every 2,332 women not registered.

The election which will take place Saturday is to elect two school directors. Registration books for the voting have been open since January.

SAN FRANCISCO NEXT WITH FAIR

ONE PLANNED WHEN PANAMA CANAL OPENS

It is Announced That Southern City's Will Be in 1915.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Oct. 19.—Speaking before a farewell banquet given at the Washington hotel by the Executive Commission Association of the A.-Y.-P. exposition in honor of President Chibber and other officers of the fair last night, Col. J. A. Filcher, executive commissioner for California, announced that San Francisco, waiting until the close of the local exposition to announce it, would commemorate the completion of the Panama canal in 1915 by holding a national exposition.

"In accordance with the broad spirit of the West," said Col. Filcher, "San Francisco did not announce to the world that she would also hold an exposition, for the reason that it would be a small measure to divert interest. San Francisco thinks she should have the honor."

Preliminary plans provide that the United States government shall provide a cruiser which shall carry a delegation appointed by the president, the governors of the western states and the mayors of its great cities, and that it shall visit every island and country washed by the Pacific, asking their participation. If this is carried out, we shall not have to look for the participation of European countries."

RAILWAY MAN GETS SENTENCE SUSPENDED

He Was Cause of Mount Ver- non Wreck, When Three Were Killed.

(Special to the Times.)
Brantford, Ont., Oct. 19.—When the assizes resumed this morning Mr. Justice Latchford took up the case of J. MacGuire, convicted of criminal negligence and neglect of duty in connection with the Grand Trunk wreck near Mount Vernon on October 30, 1908, when three men were killed.

In commenting on the case the judge remarked on the high character of MacGuire and his straightforward manner in the witness-box. Men placed in similar circumstances were prone to perjure themselves, but MacGuire had told the truth, even though his fate was imperiled thereby.

Under the circumstances he suspended sentence.

TWELVE MILLIONS FOR SALMON PACK

Puget Sound Cannerymen Do Well This Season—Lobster Culture.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Bellevue, Wash., Oct. 19.—According to a statement made by George M. Bowers, United States fish commissioner, who is here to-day in connection with the selection of sites for government hatcheries, the total salmon pack on Puget Sound this season will bring the cannerymen between \$12,000,000 and \$13,000,000.

This is greater than the receipts for any previous year in the history of the packing industry here, and to the big run of salmon and high prices is attributed the immense total value of the pack.

Lobster culture is to be taken up by the government, Mr. Bowers stated, the headquarters of the breeding to be on Hood's canal. The United States will not, however, go into the experimental culture, as has been rumored.

TAPT IN THE WILDS.

Gregory, Texas, Oct. 19.—When President Taft awoke at 3 a.m. from the best sleep he has had for more than a month, he looked out on a boundless prairie covered with sage brush and mesquite. For the first time in many days there were no local committee men stamping impatiently about in his neighborhood and wondering how soon the president would appear.

FATAL HOTEL FIRE TO-DAY

ONE DEAD AND TWO FATALLY INJURED

Ballard Hotel Was Totally Destroyed by Early Morn- ing Fire.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Oct. 19.—In a fire that gutted the Denver hotel at Ballard early to-day, one man was burned to death, two others were fatally injured by jumping and a fourth sustained serious burns.

Edward F. Birch, recently from Southeastern Alaska, is dead. The fatally injured are: Milton Dolan, of Ryallup; Albert Manke, Seattle; Charles W. Johnson, of Ballard, is seriously burned.

Birch was burned to death in his bed, having first been rendered unconscious by the smoke that filled the burning building. Dolan and Manke jumped from the second-story windows and received internal injuries which will probably result in their death. Johnson was found overcome by smoke and seriously burned by firemen, who at great risk to their own lives, rushed through the burning structure in search of unconscious lodgers.

The fire was caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp in a rear room on the second floor, and the entire building, which was of frame construction, was in flames before the score of lodgers could be awakened and notified of their peril.

Mrs. T. S. Lowe, the proprietress of the hotel, rushed through the building giving the alarm. Gathering six men in a front room, she dropped a rope fire escape to the sidewalk and down this rope the six men slid to safety. Mrs. Lowe insisted on being the last to leave.

HULL CITIZENS MUST WALK.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 19.—The power house of the Hull Electric Railway Company, on Lake Deschene, was gutted by a fire this morning, which damaged the plant. Street car service is temporarily suspended, but an arrangement will be made with the Ottawa Electric Company for a supply of power.

TERRORISTS CAUGHT IN RUINS OF CHURCH

They Had Fired Bombs Which Wrecked the Struc- ture.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Lisbon, Portugal, Oct. 19.—It is reported that a party of terrorists have been caught in the ruins of St. Lorenz church, which was damaged by bombs, hurled by members of the organization, and that they are standing off the troops which have surrounded the square on which the edifice stands.

Soon after the explosion soldiers were hurried to the scene and placed on guard. It is impossible to learn who is transpiring inside the square as the public is excluded from the vicinity by the government authorities. The populace is much excited, however, as it is reported that the terrorists are barricaded in the ruins, and that they are desperate.

MIGHTY HUNTER HAD VERY NARROW ESCAPE

Roosevelt Was Charged by Bull Elephant While Stalking.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Nairobi, B. E. A., Oct. 19.—Mr. Roosevelt, a government engineer in the public works department, at Nyori, came into Nairobi yesterday afternoon and brought word that Col. Roosevelt had a very narrow escape when shooting elephants.

In shooting elephants it is often necessary to creep into the herd and shoot the bull selected at a range of fifteen to thirty yards. Mr. Roosevelt, accompanied by Mr. Cunningham, the big game hunter and guide, followed this procedure and killed his elephant at the second shot.

Suddenly, before Mr. Roosevelt could reload, another elephant bull charged him at close range from the herd. Mr. Cunningham and Mr. Roosevelt got behind trees, and Mr. Cunningham fired and turned the bull from Mr. Roosevelt just in time.

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ISLAND EXHIBIT TO WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Display at Exposition at Seattle Will Be Maintained at Seattle

Ernest McGaffey, secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League, has just returned from Seattle, where he has been superintending the disposition of the exhibits which the league had at the A.Y.P. exposition. Almost all the specimens have been turned over to Frank Stevens Hall, curator to the museum attached to the University of Washington, where they will form a perpetual exhibit and will be used daily as a practical example of the island's wealth in the classes of the university.

Mr. McGaffey says that the real feature of the island's exhibit at the fair was its size. Because of this it was visited by thousands where other exhibits were passed by on account of their unpretentious character. In view of this he is of the opinion that something of a pretentious character should be attempted when it comes to sending an exhibit from the island to the Winnipeg exposition of 1912.

That portion of the A.Y.P. exhibit sent from this island, which has been transferred to the University of Washington consists of all the heavy timber and coal, the shingles from Ladysmith and all the ore specimens, with the exception of those which came from Alberni, and which have to be returned to the people who loaned them.

ORGAN RECITAL.

Good Musical Program Will Be Given in St. John's Church To-Night.

This evening at 8 o'clock a grand organ recital will be given in the St. John's church by Mr. G. Jennings Burnett. An elaborate program has been prepared and some of the best local talent will take part. A most enjoyable evening is promised all those who attend.

The programme is as follows: Organ-Sonata in B Flat Major by Mendelssohn (Allegro Con Brio, Andante Religioso, Allegretto, Finales). Vocal-Recit. and Air, "How Long With Thou Forget Me" by Mietke Mrs. Oscar McMillan.

Organ-Toccata in G Major by Dubois Anthem-All Thy Works Praise Thee by T. Moore Tenor Solo, Mr. T. Petek. Organ-Andante Cantabile from the Fourth Symphony by Widor.

(a) Meditation on the First Prelude of Bach by the G String. (b) Celebrated Aria for the G String by Mr. Benedict Bantley.

Organ-Allergretto from the Seventh Symphony by Beethoven Anthem-Ye Shall Praise Him by Steiner Soprano Solo, Miss Redfern; Bass Solo, Mr. E. Petek.

Organ-(a) Romance, Dost Thou Know That Sweet Land by Thomas (b) Aria, Transcription, Bohm-Lemare Vocal-Eye Hath Not Seen by Gaul Mrs. Oscar McMillan.

Organ-Worthy Is the Lamb (Messiah) Handel Mr. G. Jennings Burnett, organist.

CASES IN CHAMBERS.

Mr. Justice Martin Gets Assignment and Holds Court.

Mr. Justice Martin, having received an assignment from the Chief Justice, took chambers this morning. A large number of applications had been standing on the list, but a good many were disposed of this morning, as follows:

Louis Loy and Leong Shio, re Marriage Act, permission to marry granted.

Re Rose Haskins, deceased, to fix remuneration and pass accounts; stood over to 25th inst.

Appleton vs. Kolts et al, for writ; order made.

Watkins vs. Hooper, take partnership; order by consent.

Gillespie vs. Bennett, take accounts; order made.

Forest vs. Spears, for particulars; pleadings struck out as contrary; leave to amend to vary, same into conformity with practice; trial adjourned. Costs to plaintiffs in any event; particulars to be delivered.

Gillespie vs. Dahlick, foreclosure; decree absolute.

Gillespie vs. Constantine, foreclosure; decree absolute.

ANGLICAN SYNOD NOW IN SESSION

BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS AT FORENOON SITTING

Appointments Are Made and Reports Read This Morning.

The second session of the Eleventh Synod of the Diocese of British Columbia was continued this morning in the Christ church school room with delegates from the many parishes of the province in attendance.

Appointments were made as follows: To be clerical secretary, J. H. S. Sweet; to be lay secretary, F. W. Blanchenbach, treasurer, P. Wollaston; auditors, F. Elworthy and A. W. Bridgman. Beaumont-Boggs and E. H. Hiscocks were the lay members added to the executive committee, and Rev. W. Beugh Allen, Esquimalt, and Rev. H. A. Collison, Cedar Hill, were the clerical additions. Representing St. Mary's, Victoria, Capt. F. Ellison was appointed; St. Mary's, Metchesin, Mr. Skelton, and representing St. James, James Island, Colonel Layard and Edward Walker.

The report of the executive committee was presented. The committee reported that they had met six times during the year, and gave a general outline of the work done.

The committee offered a resolution of appreciation of the past work of Canon Beaulieu, who recently resigned his charge to proceed to a similar charge in England. The report also stated that Architect J. C. M. Keith had been requested to look over the plans for the new cathedral with a view of bringing the cost within \$150,000.

The missions board reported a number of resignations and appointments made, and announced that the South Saanich and Cedar Hill districts had now made up the arrears which had been standing for some time. The announcement was received with applause.

The widows' and orphans' fund committee reported on the work, and that \$359 now stood to the capital.

The religious education in public schools committee reported that the committee was in accord with the pan-Canadian committee regarding the matter, but could not see under present conditions how they were to be applied.

Rev. Mr. Andrews said the report appeared very pessimistic, and if the committee had concluded its duties it would be well to appoint a more optimistic one. The bishop thought if the committee, joined with the committees from the many other denominations in the province on the matter and discussed it fully something towards united action might be taken towards bringing about the giving of religious instruction in the schools. He appointed the committee to continue to act and added the name of Rev. Mr. Ambrose.

The police commissioners will meet Thursday afternoon, when routine business will be transacted.

Mrs. J. E. Wark it is reported has sold the Strathcona hotel at Shawinigan Lake to Vancouver people.

On Sunday the house belonging to T. Elford at Shawinigan was completely destroyed by fire. It is not known how the fire originated, but the place was completely destroyed. No one was occupying the place at the time.

A meeting of the Progressive League will be held in the Pioneer hall, Broad street, to-morrow at 8 p.m. The constitution will be read and a topic of interest to everyone will be introduced for discussion, details of which will be announced later.

In Chambers this morning before Mr. Justice Martin J. A. Alkman made an application for habeas corpus on behalf of P. Foley, R. R. Russell and J. Charles, the three men who are held for deportation as undesirable.

The court made an order nisi, returnable to-morrow morning at 10.30 a.m.

The Young Women's Club of the Metropolitan church are anticipating a very enjoyable time at a banquet to be held in the school, room of the church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A programme of very interesting items has been prepared. All members are urged to be present, and those desirous of joining will be made heartily welcome.

There is a noticeable lack of interest in making registrations under the householder qualification for the forthcoming municipal elections. At present only about 300 persons have recorded their names with Mr. Northcott and made the necessary affidavits, compared with 1,200 for the similar period last year. For the convenience of those resident in the northern part of the city arrangements have been made for taking registrations at Fawcett's drug store each evening between the hours of 7 and 9.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. W. Currie will not receive again until the third Wednesday in November.

Mrs. E. R. Marvin will be at home on Thursday, the 21st, and on the third Thursday of every month.

Mrs. E. Sheritt and daughters will receive on Friday afternoon next at their residence, 1128 McClure street.

Mrs. Charles A. Gould (nee Henry) will be at home to her friends at 529 Menzies street on the third and fourth Thursday of each month.

Mrs. Napier Denison will be at home on Wednesday, the 3rd November, and in future on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

LAYS GHOST OF ORIENTAL ISSUE

MINISTER OF LABOR STATES CASE PLAINLY

Government Policy in This Regard is Only One for the Country.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 19.—My inquiry in British Columbia under royal commission into the methods by which Oriental immigration had been promoted, supplemented by a knowledge of conditions in the Orient gained by a recent journey through India, China and Japan, has convinced me more strongly than ever that the government's policy in this particular is the only one to be followed in this country.

Thus the Hon. Mackenzie King, minister of labor, again lays the ghost of the Oriental issue which is being invoked for purely party purposes in this province on the eve of a provincial general election. The words given above are taken from a letter written by Mr. King to G. E. McCrossan, president of the Young Liberal Association in this city.

It will be remembered that a few weeks ago the Conservative press published a dispatch in which it was alleged that Mr. King had said publicly that unless the Grand Trunk Pacific were permitted to use Oriental labor the cost of construction would be prohibitive.

GRAYSON PROVOKES ANOTHER SCENE

Tried to Put Resolution in Imperial House Against Spain

(Times Leased Wire.)

London, Oct. 19.—The dead hand of Prof. Francisco Ferrer to-day reached from his grave in Spain across the channel into England and caused one of the stormiest sessions in the House of Commons that has occurred for some time.

Bitter against Spain for her action in executing Ferrer, Victor Grayson, a Socialist member, attempted to move that the Spanish ambassador be expelled from Great Britain. When Grayson attempted to take the floor to put the motion he was prevented from doing so by the speaker. Members jumped to their feet and argued the point and the feeling became bitter.

Finally quiet was restored by the speaker, who refused to allow any member the floor who desired to address the House in connection with Grayson's proposed motion.

CONDEMN GYPSY SMITH'S METHODS

Invasion of Chicago's Restricted District by Church Workers.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Opinion is divided to-day as to the wisdom of last night's parade, when 12,000 church workers, under the leadership of Gypsy Smith, the evangelist, marched through Chicago's tenderloin district.

A woman who has lived in the district for the last five years said: "I was sorry to see so many young boys attracted to the district for the first time in their lives."

The revivalists declare that the demonstration was simply "marvelous" and did a great deal of good. Gypsy Smith is one of the most prominent evangelists in the country, and when holding a meeting in the large cities always devotes one night to the tenderloin, when he with his followers march through the district and plead with the women and men to lead better lives.

LOMBROSO DIED TO-DAY.

Turin, Italy, Oct. 19.—Cesario Lombroso, one of the most eminent criminologists and psychologists of Europe, died here to-day from cerebral hemorrhage.

HON. S. H. BLAKE MARRIES.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Oct. 19.—Hon. S. H. Blake was married this morning at Rio de Janeiro to Miss Baird, his private secretary. Mr. Blake is 74 years old, and married his first wife, a Miss Cronyn, of London, fifty years ago.

DUFFY TO MANAGE CHICAGOS.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Hugh Duffy, manager of the Providence Club of the Eastern League, is to be the next manager of the Chicago White Sox, according to a rumor in circulation here to-day. Duffy was here yesterday, and had a long conference with Charles Comiskey.

VOLUNTARY DAYLIGHT SAVING.

During the adjourned inquest on the fire which occurred on the premises of Messrs. Shortt & Kilpin, in London, Thomas Shortt mentioned that during the summer months he adopted the provisions of the Daylight Saving Bill in deference to the wishes of his employees, and it worked very well. The hours were a. m. 11.30 p. m. The jury were unable to decide the cause of the fire, but added that there was no evidence of arson.

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Victoria Water Works

Notice is hereby given that the water will be turned off on Douglas street, Gorge and Burnside roads and connecting streets between Boleskin road and the Fountain, between the hours of 8 p. m. on Wednesday, the 20th inst. and 6 a. m. on Thursday, the 21st.

JAS. L. RAYMUR, Water Commissioner.

City Hall, 19th October, 1909.

POLYGAMOUS HINDUS KEPT OUT OF STATES

Party of Nine Are Turned Back at Seattle, But Will Appeal.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Oct. 19.—Because several of them expressed a belief in polygamy, and also because they were not properly equipped financially, nine Hindus, out of a party of 11, who arrived here on the steamer Shinano Maru, have been refused admission to the United States by the local immigration authorities. The other two were admitted. This is the second lot of East Indians who have been turned back recently as a result of their confession that they considered two or three wives greatly preferable to one. The nine brown men who have just been refused permission to enter the United States have the privilege of appealing to the secretary of the department at Washington, and it is said they all intend to do so. They will be detained here until the result of this appeal is made known.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

DRUGGIST—Graduate of B. C., wants position; sober, steady, experienced and not afraid of work. Address "Druggist," Times Office.

AUTOMOBILE—A good runabout for \$500, half cash; or will exchange for land scrip or mortgage. Owner, Box 106, Post Office.

MAN AND WIFE want position; woman good cook or housekeeper. Box 362, Times Office.

FOR SALE—Bargain: lots on Lillian road, corner lot 50x120, only 600 feet from Foul Bay car and two minutes' walk from beach, \$500 terms. E. C. B. Hughes & Co., 1212 Broad street.

BIGGEST SNAP IN VICTORIA—Will sacrifice 2 large lots on Cook street for \$1,500; \$750 cash, balance \$750 month; really worth \$2,400. James Morgan, 301 Government street.

POLISHLY MAHOAGANY BUREAU, in good condition. W. C. Kerr, 110 Yates.

WANTED—A good, reliable girl at the Sandringham, 1212 Douglas; no Sunday work.

WANTED—2 boys to learn the trade. Apply The Colbert Plumbing & Heating Co., 715 Broughton street.

FOR SALE—Dominion piano, in good condition. Further particulars apply Box 307, Times Office.

CHEAP LOTS—Chapman street, \$250; Burrard road, 2 for \$500; Smith's Hill, \$140; Empress avenue, \$400; Oak Bay avenue, \$500; easy terms on all. T. P. McConnell, cor. Government and Fort streets, upstairs.

PRETTY 6 ROOM COTTAGE on Oak Bay avenue, all modern conveniences, rent \$30 per month. Apply Neale & Sherwood, 528 Yates street.

NICELY FURNISHED 8 room house, all modern conveniences, rent \$35 per month. Apply to Neale & Sherwood, 528 Yates street.

EVERY STUDENT A CLASS BY HIMSELF. Matriculation subjects. James Bay Academy, corner Meina and Sango streets.

UPRIGHT PIANO, rosewood case, \$190. Davies & Son, Phone 742, Fort street.

KEYS MADE (fitted or duplicated). Waites Bros., 61 Fort street.

S. W. CHISHOLM & CO., workers in ecclesiastical and domestic leaded glass and all kinds of ornamental glass for churches, residences and public buildings; designs and estimates furnished on application. 121 Langley street.

IF YOU ARE PARTICULAR about your appearance, send your collars and cuffs to the Standard Laundry, Ltd. Phone 1017.

DON'T THROW IT AWAY—The Victoria Hat Works will clean, block and re-trim your old hat like new. 1214 Government street, upstairs.

SICK AND TIRED of paying rent? Can't pay more than \$100 down? That's enough for a 5 room modern house, with full sized lot in Oak Bay, \$2,000, balance \$50 monthly. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates.

OAK BEDROOM SUITE, with new mattress, \$30. The Exchange, 715 Fort St.

TO LET—Two nice rooms, suitable for 2 gentlemen; breakfast optional. Phone 1154.

TO RENT—Store on Oriental alley, \$12 per month. Mitchell & Greenwood, 655 Yates street.

PORT ANGELES—Property is moving—10 fine lots, including two large corners, close to harbor and Main street, \$40 each. A. R. Cann, 1230 Government St.

FOR SALE—Party leaving city wishes to dispose of all their household furniture, consisting of five rooms, Box 353, Times Office.

WILL EXCHANGE a \$75 piano certificate on Waitt's for a bass fiddle, or a garden hose, mower, etc. Times Box 354.

THREE LARGE ROOMS, furnished, \$2 each per week; breakfast if required, 522 Simcoe street.

Notice to Contractors

TENDERS will be received on or before 12 a.m. of Monday, October 25th, for alterations and additions to a building on Government street for E. A. Morris, Esq. Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS HOOPER, Architect.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, IN LUNACY.

In the Matter of the Lunacy Act, and in the Matter of James R. Jamieson, a Lunatic, Not So Found by Inquisition. Notice is hereby given that, under an order made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Irving, dated the 18th day of October, 1909, the undersigned, was appointed committee of the estate of the above named James R. Jamieson. All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same, duly verified, to me, and all persons who are indebted thereto are required to pay to me such indebtedness forthwith.

WM. MONTEITH, Committee of the Estate of James R. Jamieson. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of October, 1909.

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NEWSPAPER OPINION

Combines increasing

Toronto News: As there seems to be no restraining authority exercised by the government, the number of combines continues to increase, to the serious injury of the consuming public.

Just what we contend. Serious injury to the consuming public. Support the store that does not belong to any Combine.

NICE COOKING APPLES, per box	\$1.75
OKANAGAN TABLE APPLES, per box	\$2.50
GOLDEN WEST WASHING POWDER, 3-lb. pkt.	20c
ESSENCES, all flavors, 2-oz. bottle-20c; 4-oz. bottle-35c; 8-oz. bottle-50c	
SHELLED ALMONDS OR WALNUTS, per pound	40c
NEW SEEDED RAISINS, Victoria X brand, large 10-oz. packet	10c
CLEANED CURRANTS, 3 pounds for	25c
NEW MIXED PEEL, per pound	15c
CORN MEAL, 10-lb. sack	35c
PRESERVING PEARS, 10 lbs. for 25c; large box	30c
FINE ISLAND POTATOES, sack of 100 lbs.	90c
ANTI-COMBINE TEA, in lead packets, per lb.	35c
Or 3 pounds for	\$1
RED LABEL COFFEE, ground or bean, 1-lb. tin	25c
SEWARD'S COCOA, 1/2-lb. tin 25c; 1-lb. tin 45c; 1-lb. tin	90c
FRY'S COCOA, three 1/4-lb. packets	25c

We do not give Specials, but sell everything at a reasonable price.

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The animated pictures and illustrated song entertainment at the Victoria theatre this week will be confined to to-morrow evening and Thursday evening, every other night being taken up with regular shows. The programme for these two evenings will be in keeping with that shown since the entertainments were started. Among the pictures that will be shown will be "The Rocking Horse," being an entirely different picture from those that have

already been shown in this city: "The Young Lady Would Wed," "The Best Little Girl," "The Fighting Parson," "The Pleasant Side of a Soldier's Life," "The Cider Mill," "The Engineer," "Reggie's Camping Party," "Discharging the Maid," and other comical pictures. In the illustrated songs, Mrs. Roy-Fraser will be heard in "Just as the World Rolls On."

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EASTERN CREAMERY BUTTER, 3 lbs. for \$1.00
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NARROW ESCAPE OF SIX HUNDRED

SPECIAL TRAIN RAN
INTO HERD OF CATTLE

C. P. R. Express Nearly
Wrecked at Ramsey—
Three Injured.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Oct. 19.—Hair-breadth escapes from death were experienced by those on the special train carrying passengers from the Empress of Ireland in an accident that occurred at 9.45 a.m. Saturday morning at Ramsey, a few miles east of Chapeau, on the C.P.R. The train dished at thirty miles an hour into a herd of cattle being driven along the line. The engineer first saw the animals when within a hundred yards of them. He clapped on the air-brakes and yelled to the fireman to save himself, and they both leaped for their lives. The small wheels of the engine mounted the animals, derailing the train, which travelled for some distance over the ties, the six hundred passengers being shaken up like peas in a box.

One baggage car was sent hurtling off the track to the left, where it was embedded in the soft earth on its end. The next car, a colonist, packed with second-class passengers, was dashed down the bank, and the scene in its interior, passengers say, beggars description. Women and children were thrown from one end of the car to the other. Every window was smashed, seats were torn up, while top bunks came crashing down.

When the crew of the train and many willing helpers succeeded in rescuing the inmates of the carriage, contrary to their expectations, it was found that but three were seriously injured. J. R. Stanners, of London, England, was severely cut about the face; T. Eady, of Wickwar, Derbyshire, had his face terribly cut; Miss L. Woolley, Liverpool, was suffering from serious injury to the back. Eighteen others were hurt more or less.

WOMAN'S NERVE IS BURGLAR'S UNDOING

Portland Woman Gives Alarm
Which Leads to His
Capture.

Portland, Oct. 19.—Quick, decisive action on the part of Mrs. J. A. Maglady, of Eugene, to-day resulted in the arrest of a man whom the police believe to be one of the sharpest hotel room thieves in the country.

Mrs. Maglady and her husband were guests at the Imperial hotel. When she arose this morning she stepped into the adjoining room to dress, leaving her husband sleeping soundly. Returning, a few moments later she found a man ransacking her husband's clothing.

Screaming for help, Mrs. Maglady attacked the thief. The husband awakened by the commotion sprang from the bed and also throttled the intruder. Mrs. Maglady's sister, Mrs. Robert Parker, hurried from the adjoining room, locked the door and removed the key. The prisoner made no effort to break away.

The captive said his name is James Davidson. He has been recognized as Kirk Jones, alias James Scott, a notorious hotel thief.

SUFFRAGETTE'S CONFIDENCE

New York, Oct. 19.—Lady Frances Cook, better known in this country as Tennessee Claflin, who arrived here to-day, said she is ready, if need be, to spend \$1,000,000, all her fortune, to win votes for women. "I am going right to President Taft," Lady Cook continued, "to see if I cannot get him to do what Lincoln did, but by peaceful measures. I shall call the president's attention to the amendment of the constitution, which says that only idiots, the insane and convicts may not vote, and I want to know if that bars women. King Edward at heart sympathizes with us, and so did his mother, Queen Victoria, before him."

OLD PEOPLE SUFFER TORTURES WITH THEIR BACKS.

Here is a Case in Point.

Of course you know, a dull ache or sharp pain in the back come from sick kidneys. Old age exacts its penalty. The kidneys become weak or strained through the hard work of a lifetime. Plasters, ointments and liniments only ease the pain—they can't reach the kidneys. As soon as the effects of such remedies wear off the pain returns worse than ever because the kidneys are worse.

"West Fort William, Nov. 7th, 1908."
"I have been troubled with a lame back for the past twenty years, and have used plasters and ointment, without effect. At last I tried Gin Pills, which proved just the thing, and I would highly recommend them to anyone who has strained or lame back."
"H. HARKNESS."

Gin Pills, you see, act directly on the kidneys—relieving the pain—giving them new strength—and neutralizing uric acid, which is generally formed when there is kidney trouble.
Try Gin Pills, yourself, before buying the regular 50c. boxes. Write the National Drug & Chemical Co. (Dept. V.T.), Toronto, Ont., and they will send you a free sample of Gin Pills by return mail.

A small packet of pepper was considered a handsome present in the middle ages, pepper in those days being a very costly condiment.

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During the past few years, the sales of "Fruit-a-tives" have doubled every six months. For the six months from January to July of this year, the sales of this popular medicine were more than twice greater than for any similar period since "Fruit-a-tives" was introduced to the public.

The National Drug & Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, the largest wholesale drug house in the world—Lymans Limited of Montreal—and Lymans Brothers of Toronto—are buying "Fruit-a-tives" in 100 gross lots, 100 gross mean 14,400 boxes, which retail for \$7,200.00. This gives some idea of the steady demand for these wonderful fruit liver tablets.

It is safe to say that "Fruit-a-tives" is on sale in every drug store and in department stores and general stores carrying medicines throughout the Dominion. Nor is the sale of "Fruit-a-tives" confined to Canada. In many parts of the United States, "Fruit-a-tives" is the standard family medicine and hardly a day passes that the Fruit-a-tives Company does not receive prepaid orders from our neighbors over the line.

The many testimonials, which have been published in the leading papers, are the most convincing evidence of the great value of "Fruit-a-tives."

50c a box—6 for \$2.50—or trial box, 25c. If your dealer does not handle them, any quantity will be sent post-paid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

KING OF GREECE

MAY ABDICATE

His Three Sons Have Given Up
Their Army Commissions.

Athens, Oct. 18.—Premier Mavromichalis having announced the desire of the Royal Prince to have the bills relating to their services in war adopted, the chamber of deputies without discussion, voted the bills abolishing the right of the Princes to hold military commands.

The adoption of the Military Reform bills vells another step in the military revolution which may yet involve the abdication of King George. It is understood that His Majesty has accepted his abandonment by the great powers in the matter of Greece's aspirations for the annexation of Crete, and has quite seriously considered the possibility of being compelled to abdicate as an outcome of the disappointment of his people. King George, who has been living in retirement at Tinos since the recent military movement, on being informed of the possibility of another revolution, drove in an automobile to the capital, and instructed his three sons formally to resign their army commissions. This done, King George summoned Premier Mavromichalis to the palace, and informed him that he had persuaded his sons to resign, because he was reluctant to permit the chamber of deputies to suffer at the hands of the military revolutionists for its loyalty to the Crown.

A painful scene followed the premier's announcement of the decision of the Princes, and some 20 loyalist members rose and quitted the house. The chamber then voted the bills.

King George's unexpected act of renunciation, and the fact that the chamber is now completely dominated by the officers' league, is regarded in many quarters as being incompatible with His Majesty's dignity and his retention of the throne.

Crown Prince Constantinos held the position of commander-in-chief of the Greco-Turkish army. Prince Andrew was a captain of the Greco-Turkish army, and Prince Christoforos as sub-lieutenant in the infantry.

VANCOUVERITE JAILED

FOR SELLING BIBLES

But His Ad. Led People to Expect Something Different.

Vancouver, Oct. 19.—For selling Bibles, James M. Lambert is now in jail. But it is not because he sold the Bibles in the ordinary way. For several weeks past there had been appearing the following advertisement, and it was the wording of it which caused J. R. Greenfield, postoffice inspector, to file an information charging Lambert with false pretences. The ad. reads:

"Notice.—On receipt of \$1 we will send, securely sealed, a beautifully bound book of over 400 pages of good things. Every sport should read it; the most wonderful book ever written; prohibited in many countries; French and English translations. Send at once. J. D. & East Side postoffice, Vancouver, B. C."

Among those who sent for the volume was William Black. He did not know what to expect in return for his dollar. Least of all he expected to receive a Bible. Yet when it did come he saw at a glance that he had been "stung," notwithstanding that the book was the most wonderful ever written. So Mr. Black made complaint to Mr. Greenfield of the postoffice department, and an officer went out and took the ingenious advertiser to jail.

In the police court yesterday the case was remanded till to-day. A careful reading of the advertisement shows that Lambert without doubt "made good" everything in the ad. Just how extensive a business Lambert has done is unknown to the postoffice department, but it is presumed that he quite flooded the city with the good book, and probably placed it where it never would have been placed except for the wording of the advertisement.

See Our
Neckwear
Department

Great
Variety of
Blouses

Exquisite Showing in Evening and Restaurant Cloaks

Recently arrived in our mantle section is a carefully picked selection of all that is beautiful both in evening and restaurant cloaks and evening dresses. The cloaks are made up in broad-cloth and messaline in Grecian and mantle effects—plain military styles and fancy styles, in daintily embroidered models. Colors include soft shades of tan, champagne, blue, pink, old rose, apricot, lavender and cream. All these garments are exquisitely lined throughout. Collars and sleeves trimmed with velvet.

We have a beautiful array of evening gowns. No matter for what sort of social function a gown is required the selection is made easy by inspecting ours first—there are so many charming styles.

Ladies' Underwear

Special line of knitted vests, long sleeves, \$2.25 to 35c
Combinations, extra good line, white and natural, at \$1.75
Specially priced lined underwear, two garments, per garment, 75c and 65c
Ladies' Zenith Underwear, \$1.50, \$1.75 and 90c
Hendawick Underwear, extra heavy, at \$2.25

Gloves for Evening Wear

Fowne's elbow length silk gloves, black and white, in all the evening shades, at \$1.75
Fowne's Glace Kid, 12-button, black and white, at \$2.50
Fowne's Glace Kid, 16-button, black and white, at \$3.25
Fowne's Glace Kid, 20-button, black and white, at \$3.75
Fowne's 16-button suede, at \$2.75

Neckwear

Jabot Collars, embroidered linen, sizes 12 1/2 to 14 1/2, 50c and 35c
Lot of new bows and fancy jabots, adjustable to linen collars, in all the Dresden and Paisley shades, also silk bows in all colors, from 75c down to 25c
New lot of lace collars with lace jabot fronts, \$1.25 to 75c

Great
Variety of
Blouses

The
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Store

ANGUS CAMPBELL & CO., LTD.

1010 Gov't St.

See Our
Neckwear
Department

LORD'S SUPPER TO 25,000 PERSONS

Immense Congregation Communicate at Pittsburg Services.

Pittsburg, Oct. 19.—The greatest religious gathering ever held in this city and perhaps in the country occurred at the National League ball park, Forbes field, here, when 25,000 persons assembled at the sacrament of the Lord's supper, the event being the principal feature of Sunday's session of the convention of the disciples of Christ, of the Christian church.

About one hundred elders and one thousand deacons of the church officiated in passing bread and wine, while a choir of five hundred voices led the music.

Four big gatherings at the various convention halls closed the day's programme. One of the principal sermons was preached by Rev. S. M. Martin, of Seattle.

ONE BY ONE FAMILY GOES.

Tacoma, Oct. 19.—The running down and killing of Mrs. Catherine Herman, a widow, 47 years of age, by a Northern Pacific train last evening, was the third violent death in the Herman family in three years. Three years ago the woman's husband was run over and killed by a train, and a little over a year ago a son was killed in a logging camp. Three girls, the eldest of whom is 18 years, and one boy, aged 12, are left.

SPANISH ATTACHE

OBJECTS TO SPEECH

Parisian Councillor Defends Demonstrations Against Spain.

Paris, Oct. 19.—An attache of the Spanish embassy attending the funeral of Policeman Dufresne, who was killed while guarding the Spanish embassy Wednesday, abruptly left the service to-day when Councilman Masse, an official representative of the city, characterized Wednesday's demonstration as the "response to a call of conscience against the horrible news from Spain." He said that Paris was standing nobly faithful to the traditions of her glorious past.

Councilman Masse seemed to speak directly to the Spaniard, who immediately left the room, International complications may follow as the result of Masse's statement.

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Toledo, Ohio, Oct. 19.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who lectured last night, said that officers of the Danish government ship Godthaab, which has just arrived off Copenhagen, after a northern voyage, might be able to give information which would throw light on the polar controversy. He referred especially to Captain Scourry and Engineer S. Truk. "These men passed two weeks among the Eskimos from whom I recruited my men for my expedition," said Dr. Cook. "They can speak Eskimo perfectly, and several scientists are aboard the ship." Dr. Cook will conclude his lecture tour this week, closing at Minneapolis, and will return to New York to work upon his documents.

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Washington, Oct. 19.—Secretary Nigel yesterday, on recommendation of the commissioner of immigration, removed from service Daniel D. Davis, immigration inspector in charge at Chicago. The action was based on information which had come to the secretary that Mr. Davis had made overcharges in connection with meals and attendance furnished to detained immigrants.

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THE WEST LEGALITY.

(Pittsburg Gazette-Times.)

gent Taft is instructing the which more than any other part country needs such instruction, in good things are improper for of the government, if under- without warrant of law. But he succeeds in carrying on. is making it clear that neith- subordinates nor he will act legal and constitutional way that same thing he is making clear that up and on

to profit themselves.

BRINGERS OF TROUBLE.

(Chicago Post.)

And the weary public soon will wish that both Peary and Cook had stayed at the Pole.

FOR H PER WORD.

(New Haven Journal-Courier).

Lord Northcliffe, publisher of the London Times, says that "Theodore Roosevelt is a man who is not

says it anyway whether it is a of greatness or not.

EVENED UP.

Major General Fred D. Grant created a big fuss in Chicago marching at the head of a prohibi- parade in his army uniform. Some time brings queer changes. In dark days of the Civil war the abolitionists were anxious to have Grant's father deposed from the ership of the Union armies because



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—The first weekly rehearsal of the Ladies Choral Class of the season will be held at "The Pops," 1022 Huntington avenue, on Thursday evening next, at 8 o'clock, at which Miss Archbutt hopes to have a good attendance of both old and new members. The music of the part-songs has arrived and will first be practiced, to be followed later by Lakoe's beautiful cantata, "The Sleeping Beauty." Any information will be supplied on application at the above address.

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—Mrs. Oscar McMicking, soprano soloist, and Mrs. Benedict Bantley, solo violinist, will assist Mr. G. Jennings Burnett at the organ recital to be held in St. John's church to-night at 8 o'clock.

—A dog's tail might be termed a curiosity because it was never seen before. The extra fine values in oilcloths and linoleums at the capital furniture company's store, cor. Douglas and Fort, are not curiosities, yet such grand bargains were never before seen in Victoria.

—Lunch at the Poodle Dog.

—The opening meeting of the L'Allegiance Francaise Society for the coming season will be held to-morrow evening at the Balmoral hotel. All members are invited to be present.

—The funeral of the late William Jenkins will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Victoria undertaking parlors, Yates street. Rev. John Grundy will officiate.

—This evening the Drummond recital to be given at the Emmanuel Baptist church by Mr. Hatt is expected to prove a high class and instructive entertainment. It is also expected that Senator Riley will take the chair. A number of musical selections will be given during the evening.

—A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon, when Miss Hannemann became the bride of Wm. C. Allen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William C. Drabb at the Lutheran paragon, 1213 Quadra street. Both contracting parties are residents of Seattle.

—On Tuesday, next, the biennial examinations of the B. C. Medical Council, for those desirous of entering upon the practice of that profession in this province, will commence at the government building. A large number of candidates have announced their intentions of competing.

—An interesting marriage took place on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay, North Park, when Mr. John Ireland, of this city, was united in marriage with Miss Violet Jane McNabb. Rev. William Stevenson performed the ceremony; Mr. William Alfred Clay acted as groomsmen and Miss Mary Ann Clay performed the duties of bridesmaid. A large company of friends assembled to witness the ceremony, and afterwards took part in the marriage festivities. Mr. Ireland is a member of the Victoria police force. The happy couple have their home on Gladstone avenue.

—The person looking for proof that building activity is greatly increasing in Victoria need not consult the building returns. Sufficient proof is furnished by the new industries more or less depending on the building trade that are becoming established in the city. One of these is the leaded glass works of S. W. Chisholm, recently located at 1221 Langley street. As soon as its complete plant, which is now on the way from the east, has been installed, this firm will be in a position to cater to the demands of builders for all kinds of stained glass effects, from the elaborate Gothic window of a church to the simplest panel in the hall of a private dwelling.

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CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW.

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At a special committee meeting of the Protestant Orphanage Society, held at the city hall, it was decided to hold the annual chrysanthemum show at the Carnegie library, kind permission of the mayor and council having been granted, on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 16th and 17th, when it is trusted, that old and new friends and residents will, as in former years, assist the committee in their undertaking. The appointment of a matron and her assistant was discussed but held over until the regular meeting, Monday, November 1st.

—The death occurred this morning in Strathroy of T. O. Currie, Canadian immigration agent at Milwaukee. Mr. Currie was known to a good many residents of this city who came from Eastern Canada. He was at one time one of the leaders in the Patrons of Industry movement in Ontario, being a very gifted speaker. He was an uncle of Major A. W. Currie of this city.

—A meeting will be held in the drill hall this evening at 8 o'clock, when all officers of the Fifth Regiment are requested to attend. The business before the meeting will be the drawing up of by-laws and the constitution to govern the club, which has been running for some time, but hereafter will be known as a regimental club. Shower baths have been installed in the hall and a complete line of athletic equipment has been secured to make an attractive association. It is expected that a number of new recruits will join the regiment when this big club is opened. Indoor football and baseball will be played in the hall and there is ample room for it. Reading rooms will also be fitted up and a physical director will be appointed to instruct all members. A most enjoyable winter is looked forward to by the members of the new association.

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Drew Good Crowd at Congregational Church Last Night.

Agnes Deans Cameron gave her fourth lecture in Victoria last night in the Congregational church, Pandora avenue, the meeting being presided over by Rev. Herman A. Carson. The subject of the lecture was "Wheat, the Wizard of the North," and the lecturer began her address with the statement that whoever causes two grains of wheat to grow where one grew before deserves better of mankind than the whole race of politicians put together.

Miss Cameron gave some new and striking information regarding the extent of the wheat-growing area in Central Canada, dwelling at some length upon the present and potential modes of access from this great prairie plain, which she designated "the bursting granary of Canada." It was shown that the St. Lawrence and Great Lakes exit is inadequate as a leading funnel through which to pour Canada's prairie wheat.

Some very illuminating facts were given regarding Hudson Bay—its size, the richness of its shores, and its splendid adaptability as a channel for sending the wheat of Canada to the hungry centres of the Old World. It was shown that every province in Canada benefits by the wheat crop, British Columbia perhaps more than all of them, as the money made in wheat is used by the prairie people as a medium of exchange for the natural products of our province, our timber, fish and fruit. Attention was drawn to the fact that already Calgary is sending her wheat to the Orient by way of British Columbia, and it is a well-known fact that the people who make their money in the wheat fields look forward to spending it on the sunny slopes of Vancouver Island, a favorite expression of Winnipeggers being that they hope some day to go to heaven, but they are going to Victoria.

Miss Cameron's oft-reiterated truth of the unity and solidarity of the provinces of Canada was again forced home. "We are all members of one body corporate, and must rise or fall together." The whole lecture was large and broad in its scope, rather than provincial, and left the hearers better Canadians for having listened to it.

Striking statistics were given showing the wonderful development of Winnipeg during the last decade, and an appeal was made for generous support of the world's fair to be held in that buckle of the wheat-belt in the year 1912.

A special tribute was paid to the much-maligned railway kings, whom the lecturer presented as pathfinders and makers of empire. The great trans-continental lines of the C.P.R., Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Northern are steel spines leading the Canadian in the rough to a land of opportunity, where he can make independence for himself and affluence for his children.

Coming nearer home, Miss Cameron showed views exemplifying the wonderful productivity of the soil of our province, ending a most interesting evening's discourse with views of the Queen Charlotte Islands, which she characterized as "British Columbia's unknown outpost, 'the Island Empire of to-morrow.' Rich in anthracite coal, superb timber, rich ore and fertile lands, and set in a sea literally swarming with lucrative food fishes, the Queen Charlottes will in the year 1910 be much in the eyes of astute ones who to-day are centering their attention on the rich outpost of empire.

At the close of the lecture, amid the applause of the audience, the Rev. Herman A. Carson introduced an innovation by presenting Miss Cameron with a fine cock pheasant, a token of appreciation from some unnamed admirer. The substitution of fauna for flora, pheasant instead of chrysanthemums, brought a pleased smile to the face of the recipient.

—The funeral of the late Christopher Charles Johnston took place this afternoon at 1 o'clock from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors to Colwood, where services were conducted in the church there by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay. The attendance of friends was large and many beautiful flowers were presented. The following acted as pallbearers: B. Oldershaw, J. Braden, D. S. Tall, C. Wilson, F. Rudge and M. Morrison. Interment took place in the Colwood cemetery.

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The grounds are located in a beautiful position and on the property is plenty of shade, among other trees be-

CUE ARTIST TO GIVE A FREE EXHIBITION

Interesting Entertainment for To-morrow Night

To-morrow night at 8 o'clock at the Rendell billiard rooms, Government street, Professor Charles E. Blodgett will give an exhibition of billiards and Chinese pool, to which admission will be free. He will also do several interesting things with billiard balls and cues that will attract the attention of all who are fond of the game.

Chinese pool is a two-cue game, but the novice who attempts it generally concludes that it must be played with a trough, and after a shot or two he is likely to declare it impossible to manipulate two cues.

The cue ball in the Oriental game is rolled off the sticks instead of being struck as in the American game. The ball must never be touched by the hands, but is picked up by both cues

SET OF DICE FROM KETCHEL'S LOST TEETH

Defeated Man is Anxious for Another Match With Johnson.

San Francisco, Oct. 19.—Willis Britt is going to have a set of dice made out of the two molars which the champion Jack Johnson knocked from the mouth of Stanley Ketchel when he successfully defended the heavyweight title by sending the "Michigan Lion" into stumblin' on Saturday in twelve rounds.

With the exception of the missing grinders and two badly pulled lips, Ketchel is little the worse for his mixer-up with the Galveston demon, while Britt is going around town telling how it all happened and clamoring for another match for his meat ticket with the husky negro.

Johnson says that his right ear is still sore where Ketchel struck him and sent him down for the count of six in the fatal twelfth round. According to the negro, this was one of the hardest blows that he ever received in his life, and he claims that the wallop for a few seconds took all the steam out of him. Johnson says the blow hurt him so badly that he went right after Ketchel and knocked him out for fear that Stanley might slip over another one in the same place.

According to a statement made by Promoter Coffroth, the fight drew \$22,300. The fighters got 60 per cent. of this, and as Johnson gets the winner's end, he received, including the side bet, about \$21,000. According to the receipts, Ketchel's share was \$6,700. If he has turned over the side bet of \$5,000, he received \$1,700 for letting the big black knock him out after hammering him all over the ring.

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If Jeffries-Johnson Mill Does Not Come Off He is Willing.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Sydney, N. S. W., Oct. 19.—Tommy Burns, the Canadian heavyweights, who was defeated by Jack Johnson in a fight for the world's heavyweight championship here December 26th last, announces that if the American promoters are unable to arrange a match between Jeffries and Johnson, he is willing again to meet Johnson, winner take all.

YACHTSMEN TO HOLD MEETING IN SEATTLE

Recommendations of Special Committee to Be Heard.

A meeting of yachtsmen will be held next Saturday in Seattle that promises to have a very important effect on international yachting contests in Northwest Coast waters in future. It will be a special meeting of the executive of the Northwest International Yacht-Racing Association, called for the purpose of receiving the report and recommendations of the special committee appointed to revise the rules at the big regatta last July.

This special committee will recommend the adoption of the universal rating rule in place of the international rule which has been in force here for the past three years. The report which the committee is to present will suggest that the universal rule go into force on January 1st, 1911, but that in the interim the racing for the Alexandra international cup, which is at present restricted to the 25-foot class, be altered to allow of 31-foot boats competing for it. A number of other regulations will also be recommended in the report.

The association, however, looks as if it would run against a snag if they change the Alexandra cup regulations from the 25 to a 31-foot class, for the trustees of the cup, who are members of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, have announced that they will not sanction any changes in the existing rules governing the cup contests. If the new rule is adopted by the association a deadlock may result.

ATHLETIC BODIES ADOPT NEW RULING

Canadian Y. M. C. A. in Line With Federation and C. A. A. U.

The Y. M. C. A. Athletic League of Canada, held an important meeting at Montreal recently, when among business transacted it was decided to adopt the new amateur definition approved at the peace conference in Ottawa on Labor Day. The step is one of the greatest importance to all Canada, as it now means that the three big athletic bodies, the C. A. A. U., the Federation and the Y. M. C. A. league will be in line for the coming formation of the new Amateur Athletic Union of Canada. The Y. M. C. A. league is in affiliation with the C. A. A. U., and the importance of the step taken to-day is that with the change in the by-laws to admit of the new amateur definition the league can join the new C. A. A. U. of Canada when it is formed.

Dr. Fisher, of New York, who is secretary for the league, was among those present at the meeting. Mr. Percy Lee represented Ottawa.

NOVEMBER OUTING MAGAZINE.

Dr. Woods Hutchinson's article, "Bringing the Outdoor Indoors," is the leading feature of popular interest in the Outing Magazine for November. In this Dr. Hutchinson has some trenchant things to say regarding the right and the wrong ways employed by people to get good air into their houses. His suggestions are of considerable practical value.

Mr. Walter Camp, probably the chief authority in the country on matters pertaining to football, contributes the first article of a series by him, entitled "Hopes of the Gridiron," a vivid look back at the chief football personalities of the last generation.

Other features of importance are: "Taking Care of Your Own Car," by Robert Sloss; "Building Up the Country by Rail," by Edward Hungerford; "In Southern Quail Fields," by Todd Russell; "The Funny Side of Football," by George Jean Nathan; "Southward With the Birds," by E. P. Powell; "Fall Fishing in the Atlantic Surf," by Louis Rhead; and "On Mediterranean Shores," a fascinating glimpse of Algiers, by Albert Bigelow Paine.

Two unusually good short stories are "Euphemias of the Lingering Youth," by Emmet F. Harle, and "The Man Who Rode Purgatory," by Charles Alden Seltzer.

INTERESTING SERIES OF BALL GAMES OPEN

Portland and 'Frisco Meeting This Afternoon in Opening Game.

San Francisco, Oct. 18.—The San Francisco and Portland teams will clash here to-morrow in the opening game of a series, the outcome of which will have much to do with the Pacific Coast League pennant for 1909.

If Portland is lucky enough to win the series of seven games, the Beavers will only be one game behind the Seals and will have an outside chance to "cop" the bunting.

In order to clinch the pennant the San Francisco aggregation will have to win six out of the 14 remaining games. This includes the series with the Beavers. If the Seals should lose eight games and the Portland bunch win the remaining games scheduled they would win the pennant by a slight margin.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL MATCHES FOR SATURDAY.

Victoria West and Esquimalt, and the Bays against the new A. O. F. team are the soccer games for Saturday in the senior division. In the second division the Regiment plays Esquimalt, the Barach the Empress, North Ward against Victoria West and Y. M. C. A. against Beacon Hill.

The junior games are: North Ward against J. B. A. A. and Y. M. C. A. vs. High School.

REVELSTOKE PASTOR MOVES TO NANAIMO

Rev. J. R. Robertson Presented With Cabinet of Silver on Leaving.

Revelstoke, B. C., Oct. 18.—The congregation of Knox Presbyterian church gave a hearty send-off to Rev. J. A. Robertson, who goes to the pastorate of St. Andrew's church, Nanaimo, and Mrs. Robertson, B. A. Lawson occupied the chair and addresses of regret at the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, but of personal congratulation on his removal to a larger field, were made by Mayor Lindmark, Rev. W. T. Hall, Rev. W. P. Freeman and E. M. Cook, all of whom spoke in the highest terms of praise of Mr. Robertson and his work here. E. M. Lawson read an address and the gift of an oak cabinet of silver from the congregation was made by Mrs. B. A. Lawson. During the evening a musical programme was rendered by the choir and Miss Frances Lawson. Mr. Robertson replied suitably.

DANISH SAVANTS WILL NOT GIVE WAY

University of Copenhagen Retains First Right to Cook's Proof.

Copenhagen, Oct. 19.—The faculty of the University of Copenhagen will meet Wednesday to consider the request of the American Geographical Society that it be allowed to pass first on the claims of Dr. Frederick A. Cook. Dr. Torp, head of the university, said to-day that the faculty undoubtedly would refuse the request.

Rival Affidavits. Springfield, Ills., Oct. 18.—H. S. Reed, former general manager of the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis railroad, has offered Dr. Cook an affidavit contradicting that of Edwin N. Barrill, who was Cook's companion on the explorer's ascent of Mount McKinley, and who now swears that the rival of Commander Peary never reached the mountain's summit. Walter H. Miller, of Seattle, photographer of Dr. Cook's Mount McKinley expedition, has made the affidavit corroborating that of Barrill's in every detail.

GET GOOD RESULTS IN SERUM-THERAPY

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Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research, made an encouraging report on the present status of the serum treatment of epidemic cerebro spinal meningitis at the recent meeting of the American Medical Association, at Atlantic City. His experience with the serum, which is his own discovery, was confirmed by other physicians in the course of their practices. Says the New York Medical Journal:

"Dr. Flexner said that it was now three years since the introduction of the serum treatment. About 700 cases had been treated to the exclusion of other treatment. The disease was most fatal when it prevailed as an epidemic. It did not always present itself characteristically until lumbar puncture was made and the diplococcus intracellularis was found. The organism was specific. The mortality was about 75 per cent. in the past epidemics."

"He had collected 717 cases treated by the serum. In these 433 patients had recovered, and 284 had died, giving a mortality of 34.4 per cent. The fulfilling cases had been included in the tabulation. Children under two years had heretofore usually died. Of 104 treated by the serum, 60 recovered and 44 died, mortality of 42.3 per cent."

"He was confident it was no accident that the mortality had been lowered by this treatment. The fact of the high mortality in persons of twenty years

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VIEW OF VICTORIA'S NEW TENNIS GROUNDS.

ing one of the finest old oaks round Victoria. The move from Belcher street, while it is farther out by the car, is nevertheless a good one, and the additional space provided will provide a long-felt want here among tennis players.

RUGBY GAME HERE ON THANKSGIVING DAY

McGill's College of Vancouver to Play Bays at Oak Bay.

The Rugby match between the J. B. A. A. and McGill teams, arranged for Saturday, has been postponed until Monday next, Thanksgiving Day, when the local team and the Vancouver college men will meet at the Oak Bay ground at 2 o'clock. The Bays have called a practice for to-night in the gymnasium, to be followed by a final turnout on Thursday evening. The team will probably practice again on Saturday afternoon.

The members of the J.B.A.A. Rugby squad are expected by Capt. Winsby to turn out to all practices regularly.

There is only one sudden death among women to eight among men.

and put in position. The purpose of the game is to put the object balls into the pockets from the angle at which they are struck by the cue ball.

In addition to his ability to pocket the balls in a regular game, of this style, Prof. Blodgett performs a number of incredible tricks in which he uses both cues, and which no one has been able to duplicate successfully.

One trick, which is even more mysterious than the rest is an apparent defiance of the laws of gravitation. Picking three balls on two cues Prof. Blodgett allows them to run to the centre of the sticks, and then, without seeming cause, one of them leaves the mate and starts out bravely for the top end of the cues, which, by this time are held almost perpendicularly. As soon as the first ball reaches the top, the second starts to follow, and when it lands on the point of the cue, remains there until the third begins to climb, and finally reposes beside its companions. When the operator wants the balls to return to their original positions he "calls" them one at a time. The inventor of the trick says it is merely the result of proper training of the finger and the eye.

Several juggling tricks are part of the Chinese juggler's repertoire, and his "tangle-lane" throw is a feat in which he makes the ball disappear in the air.

According to Prof. Blodgett he was twenty-seven years in perfecting his tricks. He took up the game, all a means of recreation, when supposed to

ly defended the heavyweight title by sending the "Michigan Lion" into stumblin' on Saturday in twelve rounds.

With the exception of the missing grinders and two badly pulled lips, Ketchel is little the worse for his mixer-up with the Galveston demon, while Britt is going around town telling how it all happened and clamoring for another match for his meat ticket with the husky negro.

Johnson says that his right ear is still sore where Ketchel struck him and sent him down for the count of six in the fatal twelfth round. According to the negro, this was one of the hardest blows that he ever received in his life, and he claims that the wallop for a few seconds took all the steam out of him. Johnson says the blow hurt him so badly that he went right after Ketchel and knocked him out for fear that Stanley might slip over another one in the same place.

According to a statement made by Promoter Coffroth, the fight drew \$22,300. The fighters got 60 per cent. of this, and as Johnson gets the winner's end, he received, including the side bet, about \$21,000. According to the receipts, Ketchel's share was \$6,700. If he has turned over the side bet of \$5,000, he received \$1,700 for letting the big black knock him out after hammering him all over the ring.

The Suez canal reduces the distance from Britain to India nearly 4,000 miles for ships.

Do You Realise The Danger of a

POISONED FINGER

DEATH OFTEN LURKS IN A CUT.

YOU see this danger illustrated in the case of Mr. W. C. Edwards, a well-known Friendly Society leader, of Peter Street, Toronto. He cut one of his fingers with a piece of glass, and instead of applying Zam-Buk to prevent blood poisoning and to heal it, he neglected the cut, and blood poisoning followed. He says: "The blood-poison from the finger spread up my hand and arm and caused me terrible agony. After two months' treatment the doctor said there was no cure, and amputation would have to take place if I intended to save my arm. I left that doctor and consulted another. After a few weeks' treatment, he also told me that operation would be necessary. He said the bone had become diseased and the finger would have to be opened so that the bone could be scraped. I went away to consider when I would have the operation performed and met a friend who advised me to try Zam-Buk."

"That night I bathed the wound and put on some Zam-Buk. I got a little sleep, for the first time for many nights. In the morning the wound began to bleed instead of the foul discharge as in the past. This was a healthy sign so I went on with the Zam-Buk. Well, to cut a long story short, in a few days I put away the sling, and in a few weeks the finger was healed completely. To-day that finger is as sound as a bell and I owe it to Zam-Buk. I spent over \$30 in doctors fees and when I think how Zam-Buk at such a trifling cost saved me from amputation I am very grateful for the harm I can tell you."

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COSTLY EXTRACT FROM COLONIST

APOLOGY DESCRIBES
ARTICLE UNFOUNDED

Full Text of Published Retraction in W. T. R. Preston Case.

"I inserted in the Japan Chronicle issued on November 10th, of the 41st year of Meiji, with regard to Mr. W. T. R. Preston, the trade commissioner of the Canadian government, a libelous and unfounded article which had been published in the Victoria Colonist, of Victoria, British Columbia, during a general election some time ago."

This report begins the apology which the editor and publisher of the Japan Chronicle has been forced to publish in three issues of the Japan Mail-Japan Advertiser, Japan Gazette and Japan Herald, published at Yokohama; the Japan Chronicle and Kobe Herald, published at Kobe; and the Japan Times, Jiji Shimpo, Tokio Asahi Shimbun and Tokio Nichi Nichi Shimbun, published at Tokio.

Besides publishing the apology the defendant was ordered to pay Mr. Preston the sum of 2,000 yen, a yen being of about the same value as a dollar. The judgment was delivered in Kobe, September 29th, by three judges of the Supreme court. The cost of the proceedings are borne by the defendant.

Continuing the published apology is as follows: "That article was 'The effect that Mr. Preston, pretending in public that he had an official capacity which he did not in fact have, acted in a manner entirely in conflict with the policy of the Canadian government with regard to the question of the immigration of Japanese into Canada; that he also expressed opinions in favor of Japanese immigration into Canada, thus not only injuring the purpose which Mr. Lemieux successfully accomplished when despatched to Japan but also damaging the credit of Mr. Lemieux, the minister of communications in the Canadian government; that Mr. Preston was endeavoring to give the public the impression that the agreement entered into between the said minister and Japanese government with regard to the immigration of Japanese into Canada was a temporary measure intended to last only until after the general election in Canada, and was not a serious understanding as declared by the two governments. Again, I published in the Japan Chronicle of the 14th of November in the 41st year of Meiji an article entitled 'Graft in Canada and its Cause,' in which after two or three facts had been mentioned as instances of political corruption in Canada, it was remarked that it was not to be wondered at that the commissioner of such a government (Mr. Preston), without caring whether the action was just or unjust, wished to increase the exports from Canada to Japan unmindful of the interests of the resident foreigner, who had made prosperous the foreign trade of Japan. I am sorry that I have thus damaged the reputation of Mr. Preston. Therefore, I hereby tender a sincere apology."

ROBERT YOUNG,
The Editor and Publisher
of the Japan Chronicle,
Kobe.

MR. JUSTICE MARTIN MAKES AN EXPLANATION

Files With Registrar Memo
Regarding His Failure to
Hold Court.

Hon. Mr. Justice Martin has deposited with the supreme court registrar the following memorandum, explanatory of why His Lordship has not recently held court or chambers in Victoria:

"In answer to inquiries that have been made by me under rule 1043, you may inform all concerned that I have not received one empowering me to hold court at chambers in Victoria since that which is dated 24th of June, 1909. A copy of same is herewith annexed."

"When I receive one I shall notify you of that fact and act thereon as heretofore. It seems desirable to add, in order to prevent misunderstanding or a recurrence of regrettable mistakes, that in view of the fact that pursuant to the written objections of the Chief Justice, filed in your registry, I was, on the 14th day of February, 1908, put off the Full Court in Hunting vs. McAdam, because it was held that I was unable to produce sufficient assignment from him, it became doubly necessary for me to have in my hand such a document before acting."

(Sgd.) "ARCHER MARTIN, J."

CONFIRMED: NOW SOCIETY.

Berlin, Oct. 19.—Princess Victoria Louise, daughter of the German Emperor and Empress, was confirmed yesterday in the Church of Peace at Potsdam. The Princess will now enter society. The Princess, who was born in 1882, is regarded as competent to make one of the best matches in Europe; and it is thought likely that she will be married soon, probably to a member of a minor royal family of Germany.

MISS CAMERON AT WOMEN'S CLUB

SPEAKS AT FIRST
VICTORIA MEETING

Many Are Present to Hear Address on Past and Future.

The Victoria Women's Canadian Club held its first meeting yesterday, and had as its guest of honor Agnes Deans Cameron, who delivered an address to some fifty members. The occasion, she said, was the fourth on which she had addressed a Canadian Club. She had spoken at Edmonton, Winnipeg and Toronto.

Referring to the early pioneers of Victoria, Miss Cameron said they were a picked people, and that she did not believe in an accident of birth, but everything was part of a harmonious whole. She claimed the early settlers were fortunate that their lives had fallen not in luxurious places, but in the path where lay poverty for a while and always constant struggle with life and development of the country. The fight had tended towards the strengthening of the people where the necessities of life and not the graces had absorbed the energies. In the first days she said the pioneers were constantly writing letters home, so that they were always Britons even while they were becoming Canadians. "While we are still Britons," the speaker said, "we are still Britons, and must not be forgetful of the larger empire." England, she held, had not been a greedy land grabber, as was proved in the refusal of England to annex the Sandwich Islands and Alaska. England did not boast of bigness, but her strength was a matter of pride, and was used towards the protection of the weak; but although England could give more, for here the stranger found not only protection but home land where his children might grow up free. On his fertile plains would be established a newer and a stronger race, which though British to the core, was made up of many different strains.

Miss Cameron referred to the decreasing timber, seal and salmon. The word "inevitable" had been used, but unless reforestation and care were used the industries would vanish as has done the buffalo. The policy of accumulating wealth for the present generation at the expense of the coming generation was a narrow and restricted one, for the bounties of nature should be held in trust for the future good as well as for the present. Not alone material things should be kept for the future, but also the ideals received from those who have gone before should be handed down to the next generation. The public schools should be the charge of the Canadian women's clubs. It was in the lives and minds of others that the best part of us lived again.

Mrs. FitzGibbon moved a vote of thanks which was seconded by Mrs. A. T. Watt. The president, Mrs. Harry Barnard, occupied the chair, and there were present among others: Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. FitzGibbon, Mrs. Roche Robertson, Mrs. E. B. Hanington, Mrs. A. T. Watt, Mrs. J. A. Alkman, Mrs. T. Watson, Mrs. F. I. Clarke, Mrs. G. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. Gleason, Mrs. Rickaby, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. Lewis Hall, Mrs. M. A. Wyde, Mrs. H. Hanington, Miss Jessie Cameron, Miss Duff, Mrs. J. T. Reid, Miss Workman, Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. H. D. Helmcken, Mrs. C. I. Todd, Mrs. M. G. Graves, Mrs. E. B. Marvin, Mrs. Suttie, Miss L. B. Tully and Miss Mara.

A very interesting collection of mementoes of her northern voyage was brought by Miss Cameron, among which were pressed flowers gathered at northern stations, various articles of clothing manufactured by the Indians of the North and a little hymn book translated into the Cree language and printed on a hand press by two women missionaries.

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EXPLOSIONS IN COAL MINES

EXPERT GIVES TALK
ON INFLAMMABLE GAS

Mineral Specimens Examined
by Members of Natural
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investigating their effects. Experiments were made with various gases, air and coal dust. It was found that under certain conditions fine coal dust was highly explosive. It was inflammable, but the dust from anthracite coal was neither inflammable nor explosive.

One of the things which had puzzled experts for a long time in connection with the gas in the mines was to know where it came from. It was found to be a mistake to think that it seeped up through the coal, and neither was it found in pockets. It was generally conceded that it was one of the properties of coal to give off gas. If there was not a free circulation of air this collected in the roof and in crevices and accounted for the so-called pockets which were often mentioned. The work of the miners is to find the gas and to get rid of it. Sometimes it would be found hissing out of a crevice where it could be ignited and would burn like a candle. The gas, known as methane, or fire-damp, was lighter than the air and therefore was often found in the crevices of the roof of a mine. The afterdamp was simply the air with the oxygen burned out of it. This was heavier than air and was found at the bottom of the working. A man might be walking along with afterdamp up to his knees and not know there was any. A sudden disturbance of this causing it to rise might prove fatal.

Most of the specimens examined last night were minerals. W. J. Sutton, of the Dominion Government Geological Survey, showed a piece of magnetite found at Upper Campbell Lake, which was highly magnetic. With it he could lift up fine pieces of steel. This, he said, was the first loadstone that had been discovered on Vancouver Island. Only part of the ore at the mine had

this property. He also showed specimens of molybdenite from Bear Lake in the Sayward district, galena from the Slocan, and zinc blende and galena from the same district.

A box of specimens also attracted much attention, which had been sent down from Quatsino to A. W. McCurdy by Alex. McCaulay. They included crystals from the June mine; dolomite crystals with siderite covering; copper crystals and other minerals. A. W. McCurdy showed a core of white marble which had been taken from the quarries at Nootka. It showed a very beautiful mottled, polished surface on one side, while the other was in the rough. Mr. McCurdy explained the method of boring, which was done by a plain piece of steel water pipe with fine steel shot to do the cutting.

Two new members were elected and there were two nominations for membership.

WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 19.—5 a. m.—The pressure has greatly decreased on the Coast, and the disturbance has caused heavy rainfall in this province and the Pacific states, and snowfall at Barkerville and Edmonton. A fresh southerly gale is reported at the mouth of the Columbia river. East of the Rockies the pressure is giving way slowly and the weather is cold and becoming unsettled; the crest of the high barometer area now overlies the region of the lakes.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds, chiefly cloudy and cool, with showers.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate

winds, mostly cloudy and cool, with showers.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.81; temperature, 50; minimum, 47; wind, 12 miles S. W.; rain, .15; weather, cloudy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 29.64; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 3 miles E.; rain, .40; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.68; temperature, 40; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.68; temperature, 30; minimum, 28; wind, calm; snow, trace; weather, snow.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 58; minimum, 58; wind, 8 miles S. W.; rain, .04; weather, cloudy.
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, 30; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles N.; snow, trace; weather, snow.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.50; temperature, 25; minimum, 28; wind, 18 miles S. E.; weather, fair.

INSOLVENT SAVINGS BANK.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 19.—The savings bank, which closed its doors on Saturday failed to reopen yesterday. The bank's loss was given as more than \$3,000,000, and it was declared to be wholly insolvent in a petition to enjoin W. H. Green from acting as assignee. The petition was granted.

TO TEAMSTERS

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ANNUAL ADDRESS TO THE SYNOD

BISHOP PERRIN ON DEVELOPMENT OF CHURCH

He Makes Pointed Remarks Relative to Provincial University.

The regular annual meeting of the synod opened last evening at the cathedral when the charge was given by Bishop Perrin. Choral evensong preceded the charge, the prayers being read by Rev. W. Barton and the lesson by Rev. John Grundy. The charge was in part as follows:

"My reverend brethren, and brethren of the laity: On June 24th, being the festival of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist, the thanksgiving service in connection with the jubilee of the diocese was held in the cathedral. Clergy representing the dioceses of New Westminster and Kootenay attended, and at the last moment the Bishop of Caledonia was prevented from being present. There was a large attendance of our own clergy, and the neighboring dioceses of the United States were all represented. The long procession was a splendid outward sign of the growth of the church, and the building was filled to its utmost capacity by the laity."

After referring to the early difficulties in the church, the bishop said that they had nothing of which they could boast, for while the church may have held her own it had not made the progress it might have, nor was its influence upon the general morals of the community what it might be.

The bishop regretted that no definite steps had yet been taken towards the building of a new cathedral. The resignation of Canon Beaulieu had delayed the matter. For the present he had assumed the position of rector,

and had appointed Rev. John Grundy and Rev. W. Barton to undertake the work in Christ Church parish. "Mr. Keith had drawn a new plan, modified from the original design," continued the bishop, "and if a sum of \$15,000 can be collected, the nave can be completed, and the tower and chancel will be added at some future time. It was in this way that nearly all the cathedrals in Europe were built, the different styles of architecture employed showing the long period occupied in their construction."

Referring to the new church building required at Oak Bay, and to needed extensions in other parts of the diocese, the bishop said: "The laity of Victoria and Nanaimo will have to respond more liberally to the appeal for the diocesan mission fund, for under existing circumstances it would not be right to ask for any increase of the grant made by the M. S. C. C. to this diocese. And these parishes which are now being helped by the diocesan mission fund under the Quebec system must increase their assessments. Two years ago this was done, and \$500 a year was added to our fund, but it is hoped that voluntarily these amounts will be increased, without the necessity of appointing a commission. There is a danger of their being too easily content. The fact that the stipend of the clergyman is paid from the central fund, and that they have only been asked to contribute a certain amount, may easily make them forget that they are really living upon the charity of their fellow churchmen, and that unless constant efforts are being made any progress of the church will be impossible. I trust that there is not a single parish in which the rule passed at the last synod is not carried out, and a house to house collection made for diocesan and other mission work. It is a clear neglect of duty on the part of the clergyman if it is not organized, and of the laity if they do not respond. There must be some parishes now under the mission board which have received help for many years, and in which there has been a considerable increase of population, and which ought by this time to be self-supporting."

After referring to the success of the Laymen's Missionary movement, Bishop Perrin said: "Closely connected with this is the question of the supply of men for the ministry. The generous grant of \$5,000 from the Anglican thank offering to the Theo-

logical College to be established in this province is a great help and stimulus. The association in England determined to make a definite effort for the college as their jubilee memorial, which included a meeting at the Mansion House in London and a special service at St. Peter's, Eaton square. A large committee, consisting of men of all so-called views in the church has consented to act, and the prospect is most hopeful. The induction of the provincial government to select the site for the university has prevented any steps having been taken, as there is now sufficient sum in hand to begin building. I have no hesitation in saying that Victoria is the natural place for the university, but sectional feeling has been roused, and the claims of Vancouver have been pressed. For some years McGill university has done an excellent work in Vancouver in the matter of higher learning, and before the idea of a provincial university was originated, a site had been offered. The authorities of McGill (I am given to understand) have definitely stated that they are ready at any time to withdraw as soon as the provincial university is organized. The government has promised that they will appoint a commission of experts from the east of Canada to consider and report upon the next session of the legislature, and will involve delay in the starting of the theological college, as it is evidently essential to wait until the question is decided definitely. Meanwhile, it has been decided to start a small training school at Vancouver for theological students, who will eventually be drafted into the theological college. "The delay may be productive of good results. The matter of a constitution for a provincial college is a most serious affair."

"It is an obvious fact that there are different schools of thought in the Anglican church, although the differences are largely exaggerated owing to the teaching of a few extreme men. The college must be established upon no party lines and equal representation must be offered to each of the four dioceses in the province."

"The work of the Columbia Coast mission will have a special report. No one could have foreseen that it would have grown in the way that it has with its three hospitals, four medical officers and a trained staff of nurses. The steamer Columbia, which by some was thought far too large and expensive, is now unable to cope with the work as it cannot regularly visit the camps, and is unsafe to cross the gulf to Texada Island in the winter. The tender for a larger steamer has been accepted, and the new Columbia will, it is hoped, be ready next spring. It will involve an expenditure of nearly \$20,000, of which \$13,000 has been promised, including \$2,500 from Lord Strathcona, and \$1,500 from the S. P. C. K. The remaining \$7,000 will have to be collected in this diocese, and the diocese of New Westminster. An annual grant of \$300 is made from our mission fund, and a few individuals have subscribed, but now that this appeal is made, I feel sure that the response will be generous. It is a parish with 3,000 or 4,000 souls extending a distance of 120 miles, and there would, from Alert Bay to Texada Island, be work for three clergies, if we had the men. The strain upon the Rev. J. Antle has been altogether too great."

It would be enough if he only had the work of superintendent. At times there have been signs of his breaking down. When we realize the size and importance of the work we may well be thankful that this has not happened, but all help must be given to Mr. Antle. The loggers are won. When at first there was open hostility, now the spirit is one of friendliness, and the men have been drawn by this exhibition of practical Christianity. Incidentally the Columbia Coast mission has helped forward every effort that is being made by other Christian bodies, and it is for the church to use far more than is at present being done the golden opportunity of spiritual work, which would be cordially received by the loggers and settlers on this coast of the island."

"The work is well known throughout Canada and I am thankful to report that a telegram has been received stating that the M. S. C. C. has made a generous grant of \$3,000 towards the new boat. This ought to make us as a diocese feel ashamed that we failed to send to the M. S. C. C. the amount we were asked to contribute last year. It is the first time that we have thus failed and I do earnestly hope that we shall be able to collect more this year than the \$1,500 that has been apportioned to us."

Reference was made to the work of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and the bishop regretted that there was no religious instruction in the schools and that family prayer was almost wholly neglected. Concluding, he said:

"We have had in the city of Victoria lately a lamentable exhibition of the evil effects of betting and gambling. Our protests were in vain; horse racing for sixty days could not be stopped; betting was legal. There is indeed now a distinct feeling that such a condition of things will not be repeated, and the evils which have resulted may stir up public opinion to insist that the law shall be altered."

"Again, the drink traffic is still doing its deadly work. Lives are being ruined; there are few families in which there is not found to be one victim; the miserable habit of treating in saloons is still rife. Are we to accept it all as inevitable? Is the church to be paralyzed by the power which undoubtedly the liquor trade possesses? Shall we not make a determined stand and be prepared to face the question?"

"There is the still more awful question of impurity. The havoc that is being wrought physically and morally amongst young and old through the terrible effects of lust may not be seen as clearly as the evil effects of strong drink, but they are far more widespread, and more terrible and far-reaching in the family life. Any public action, even where the law is flagrantly broken, is beset with danger. The only remedy is to teach the sinfulness of sin, and the power of God to help us to keep under the carnal desires of the flesh."

"May this gathering of our synod not only result in the improvement of our organization, but seeing the need that there is of a quickened zeal of a more resolute determination, may it be a call to each one of us to be up and doing in the Master's service and realizing His Power and His Presence. Go Forward."

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COUNCIL SEEKS MORE POWER

(Continued from page 1)

cised by the local government communities of the province, i.e., cities, towns, villages and district municipalities.

Your committee have, from time to time, pointed out that the governing power requirements of a growing city are insufficiently understood, and as Victoria is now credited with 45,000 inhabitants, rapidly increasing, it should, your committee think, be impressed upon the Union to give due consideration to the needs of cities, more particularly adding to the local improvement machinery for the improvement and embellishment of the city highways and streets.

Your committee beg, therefore, to recommend the following:

That the council be empowered, when passing by-laws authorizing works of local improvement on streets, involving the breaking up of the street for road-making or any form of paving, to assess and levy for the cost of branch water mains from any existing main to the line of the street, and where no main is laid, to lay a water main of sufficient size with the lateral connections in anticipation of the erection of buildings and residences. Your committee suggest that this may well be done, more particularly in the case of new streets, at the expense of the owners. This would be optional with the council, as is the case now with regard to the taking up and improving every new street. It should also be optional with the council, as in all other local improvements, to make contribution or not out of the public funds towards the work in view of owners being asked to make the branch connections and pay for them in anticipation.

Water Connections.
Your committee are advised that sufficient power is contained in the Act to deal with lateral sewer and drain connections with the line of the street, and there is no reason why discretion to compel water connections should not be vested in the council. If the powers sought are used it will tend to prevent the increase of the city debt.

Your committee recommend that power should be sought from the Legislature, limited to new streets, to control the breaking up of the streets for gas mains and water mains (as in Victoria West) and connections with a specified time after new roadway construction or paving. If the companies having franchises, after sufficient notification, neglect to lay pipes or construct laterals during permanent street improvements, the gas company possesses privileges which have heretofore been found to be exercised in a manner inimical to the proper maintenance of the city streets, and some relief should be sought in this respect. In Victoria West important street improvements are in contemplation under the local improvement plan, and the property owners and city should be protected against unreasonable exercise of the powers of the companies to break up the streets at their pleasure.

On the question of the cost of local improvement works, your committee are advised that it is somewhat doubtful whether the expert supervision of

engineering works, done as local improvements, can be charged against local improvements. The time of the city engineer, assistant engineer and the staff is very largely taken up by supervision of local improvement works, and your committee recommend that special provision be asked to enable a percentage of the cost of each work to be charged to cover expenditure under this heading.

Your committee consider that it should be made quite clear that all expenditure attending the passage of by-laws and printing work caused by the local improvement work should be charged on the local improvement to the relief of the general taxpayer, the city's contribution being intended to meet the cost of the benefit to the public.

Your committee recommend that amendments be sought of the local improvement clauses to meet the foregoing.

Your committee have considered whether any increase should be suggested in respect of business license taxes. The subject is one which should receive serious attention, with a view of an equitable adjustment of the burden of taxation for municipal government, but have in the following, your committee do not at present deem it desirable to ask for any increased power.

Hotel Licenses.

The tax under section 175 for a hotel license should be differentiated from the tax on saloons. The act does not seem to have contemplated the carrying on of a hotel business and a saloon business under one license, and difficulties have been experienced in the regulation of the conduct of saloons in consequence of the practice which has existed of combining the licenses. Your committee recommend that, following the suggestions of the special committee dealing with the subject in the year 1906, separate licenses be made compulsory in the case of a hotel conducting a saloon bar.

The tax on loan companies under section 26 is \$50 for every six months, while that of bankers under subsection 20 is not exceeding \$400. Existing loan companies are doing the business of bankers by accepting deposits at interest, the issuance of cheques and the cashing of cheques. The loan companies are in certain cases branch establishments of establishments in other parts of the province and outside the province, and the funds of depositors are used in the general business and not specially in the municipality. There does not appear to be, to your committee, any reason why a loan company taking deposits and allowing depositors' funds to be drawn upon by cheque, should be differentiated from bankers, and your committee recommend that power be sought by increasing the tax upon such companies to equalize the same with the bankers' tax.

It was recommended by your legislative committee of the years 1907 and 1908 to obtain power to make a small administrative charge for licences granted under section 175, particularly an administrative fee for the issuance of liquor licences, and an application to the board of licensing commissioners; these fees to be settled by by-law. Your committee recommend that this be submitted to the Union of Municipalities for inclusion.

For several years an amendment has been sought to give statutory sanction to the practice of including works

on numerous streets in one local improvement by-law. It is suggested to your committee to again put this forward. A copy of the section is attached hereto.

An amendment was also put forward making it clear that the city has the right to enter upon property expropriated immediately after the passing of the expropriation by-law, compensation being afterwards ascertained and paid.

It was also sought to improve the powers vested in the council with regard to inquiries concerning and orders dealing with dangerous nuisances. Your committee suggests that both these amendments should be again put forward. A copy of the sections is attached hereto.

Encroachments on Streets.

An amendment was deemed essential from a legal point of view to prevent persons encroaching on the street from asserting title to street encroachments as acquired by prescription. It is recommended that this be again put forward.

Your committee has further considered a suggestion made to them to simplify the mode of ascertaining compensation for improvements upon the resumption of land belonging to the street. The present procedure involves tender of actual compensation, the amount and then payment of same before taking possession by the city. It is thought that this procedure, where the value of the whole lot did not exceed the sum of \$5,000, might be left to a county court judge for summary adjustment, and where land over the value of \$5,000 is affected, a Supreme court judge might similarly deal with the matter summarily. If it is the wish of the council an amendment can be framed on this heading.

Your committee recommend to repeat the request made in previous years to include power to compel fencing of unfenced lands in specified streets, and to regulate material and height of fences or boardings, to compel absent owners to drain or fill lots requiring same; to strengthen the city's power to deal with stable nuisances.

Your committee recommend that a copy of this report, if adopted by the council, be forwarded to the secretary of the Union of B. C. Municipalities, accompanied by the amendments suggested when settled by the city solicitors, with such explanatory matter as they may think necessary, and that a copy be also furnished the council's delegates to the union.

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A success of the real kind—one which fairly lifts spectators off of their seats with enthusiasm and delight, has, according to all reports, been scored by the Harry Askin company, new musical comedy, "Lo" which recently had its premier metropolitan opening at the Davidson theatre, Milwaukee. Audiences in this city are, as a rule, stolid and phlegmatic, but night after night during the week which "Lo" played there they broke into such strenuous applause that Mr. John E. Young and his fellow players were frequently held speechless and motionless for minutes at a time waiting until the outburst died away sufficiently for the succeeding lines to be heard.

"Lo" was written by O. Henry, foremost of American magazine contributors, and the only man in American literature whose work is paid for and whose standing is on a par with that of Rudyard Kipling and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, in collaboration with Franklin P. Adams, now regarded as the witliest and most brilliant of New York's newspaper humorists, but formerly a Chinese newspaper man. With its book and lyrics contributed by two men of such high standing in the world of letters, it could only be expected that the plot and dialogue of "Lo" would possess an atmosphere of class and distinction far in advance of that of any other musical comedy now playing, and this supposition has been most splendidly fulfilled. "Lo" possesses an atmosphere of charm, a human interest and an indescribable personality which sticks out from all O. Henry's stories, and which is the "master-stroke" of genius which has given him the unique position which he now holds.

Adam's contribution is evident in the brilliant repartee, the pungent flashes of scintillating wit and the clean fun which are such laugh-making accessories to the virile, intensely absorbing plot. This is based on O. Henry's remarkable psychological story, "Life Also Serves," published last fall in Collier's Weekly, and tells the story of an expedition of a party of educated Indian girls led by an Indian professor and a sportsy young Tammany politician to Yucatan for the purpose of discovering some ancient Aztec ruins. They become mixed up with a South American countess and a fire-eating insurgent general, a rascally United States consul, a wild, astounded Indian princess and various other interesting characters. As the story develops, the Indian professor feels the call of the wild run through his veins, and he is reinforced into a great chief of the Aztecs, which he was a thousand years ago. This scene is one of the most intense and dramatic moments ever shown in a musical play, and by its introduction in "Lo" a new standard of musical comedy is offered the theatregoing public.

NEAT SHOE TIES ONE OF LITTLE THINGS

It is an Easy Matter to Fasten
Them to Stay
Fast.

Nothing is much more untidy looking than dragging shoe-strings, and yet one often sees girls who are neatly dressed in every other respect walking along with shoe-strings swishing about their feet, or else stopping and stooping every few minutes to retie the troublesome laces.

Some girls seem to think that it is largely a matter of luck whether their shoe-strings stay tied or not. It is really an easy matter to tie them so that they will remain firm all day long. Tie the bow in the usual way, but before pulling it tight put one loop through the centre again, and then draw it firm. If you cannot succeed from the directions—the thing itself is perfectly simple—ask some boy and shoe dealer to show you.

Wide ribbon or gros-grain ties in low shoes may be kept from becoming stringy-looking by straightening them out with the fingers when they are being tied, and by rolling them up smoothly from the ends when the shoes are taken off.

FROZEN DAINTIES.

Frozen Peaches.—Two quarts of peaches, one quart of water and three cups of sugar. Pare, stone and mash the peaches. Add six broken peach kernels to the sugar and water and boil five minutes. Strain, and when cool add to the peaches and freeze.

Pistachio Cream and Peaches.—One pint of milk, one tablespoon of flour and one cup of sugar cooked in double boiler fifteen minutes, then add one beaten egg and cook two minutes longer. Cool and add a pint of cream, one tablespoon of vanilla and one teaspoon of almond, and green coloring to make a pale green. Freeze and serve with chilled fresh peaches peeled, halved and stoned, and the centres filled with blanched walnuts.

Peach Ice Cream.—One pint of milk, two tablespoons of flour, one cup of sugar; cook in double boiler twenty minutes; add two well-beaten eggs and cook five minutes. Cool, and add one teaspoon of vanilla, extract and half a pint of heavy cream. Cook six peaches with their kernels and the rind and juice of a lemon until tender. Press through a sieve and add to the custard. Freeze and let harden before serving.

Apple Whip.—Beat the whites of three eggs until stiff and perfectly dry, then fold lightly into one pint of stewed and sweetened apple, add one cup of chopped nuts and half a pint of candied cherries. Beat until firm and chill through.

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Just why certain materials have come to be associated with the celebration of the several wedding anniversaries is not very clear. One might find two or three plausible reasons for choosing cotton as the symbol for the first anniversary, but why paper should symbolize the second, or leather the third, is as much a mystery as why the fourth has been skipped altogether.

Some ingenious person has suggested that paper is given the second year because by that time the bride and groom have got over their oblivion to outsiders, and are ready to renew neglected correspondence. Anyone interested can study out reasons to suit himself or herself—they are as likely to be right as any others. One feature that is gratifyingly suggestive of increasing content in marriage as the years roll on, is that each succeeding anniversary that is observed brings more precious gifts.

The list of anniversaries is one that editors of correspondence columns are asked for every little while. It is given complete below, although the third, seventh and twelfth are seldom observed. First year, cotton; second year, paper; third year, leather; fifth year, wooden; seventh year, woolen; tenth year, tin; twelfth year, silk and fine linen; fifteenth year, crystal; twentieth year, china; twenty-fifth, silver; thirtieth, pearl; fortieth, ruby; fiftieth, golden; seventy-fifth, diamond.

Social and Personal

Dr. Dier, of Ladyamith, is in the city.

Mrs. C. F. Todd has returned from Seattle.

Price Ellison, M. P. P. of Vernon, is in the city.

Mrs. O'Brien will leave this evening for Vancouver.

E. B. Saltwell crossed over to Vancouver last evening.

Mrs. J. B. Davis is on her return trip to her home in Portland.

A. S. Belyea, K. C. of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

D. J. O'Brien called for the Terminal City last evening on the Charnier.

V. L. Harvey will leave on the Charnier for Vancouver this evening.

The Misses Butchart of Tod Inlet have returned after a visit in Seattle.

D. D. Mann will be a passenger on the Charnier for Vancouver this evening.

E. A. Morris was among the passengers who left for the mainland last evening.

F. W. Bankier is leaving via the C. P. R. and the liner Virginian on a trip to England.

V. Howard and E. P. Davis were among those who left for the mainland last evening.

A. J. Bryce, who has been in this city for some time, left yesterday for his home in Tacoma.

W. J. Gilbertson, of Minneapolis, travelling agent for the G. T. P., spent yesterday in this city on business.

Mrs. H. E. Levy, Pemberton road, will be at home Thursday, October 21st, and on the third Thursday of each month hereafter.

In building nests birds usually avoid the use of bright colored materials, which would add to the chances of the enemy in locating them.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE AT ST. SAVIOUR'S

Mr. Arthur S. Gore and Miss
Monteith Wedded on Sat-
urday.

St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday, when Miss Molly Monteith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Monteith, of Lampson street, was married to Mr. Arthur S. Gore, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gore, of Burdette avenue, by the Rev. C. E. Cooper. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a charming white gown on Princesses while a coronet of orange blossoms held in place a beautiful Honiton lace veil. She carried a bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley.

Her bridesmaids, Miss Tiny Monteith and Miss Gertrude Hickey, both attired in soft white dresses, wore respectively pale blue and pink picture hats faced with black and carried bouquets of pink carnations. The groom was supported by Mr. Guy Goddard. The service was fully choral, several of the bride's intimate friends assisting in the choir, while Miss Miles presided at the organ. The church which was tastefully decorated for the Harvest Thanksgiving had a bridal touch given to it by a beautiful bell of white flowers beneath which the ceremony was performed. Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Gore left for Seattle the bride wearing a smart grey suit with grey squirrel fur. They were the recipients of many beautiful presents. Upon their return they will take up their residence at 910 Cook street.

USES FOR APPLES.

Apple Popovers.—Beat three eggs together until light and add to them two cups of milk and a level tablespoon of salt. Pour this very gradually into two cups of flour, stirring constantly. Half fill deep, flat-bottomed patty-pans, which have been buttered and heated and bake in a very quick oven about twenty to twenty-five minutes. The oven must be hot, or they will not puff up properly. When done, slip them out of the pans, and with a very sharp knife quickly cut off the tops where they rise above the pan. The inside should be hollow. Put in each a heaping tablespoon of hot apple sauce, replace the tops, set the popovers on individual plates and serve immediately as a dessert, with hard sauce. The recipe makes eight popovers.

Apples in Caramel.—Into a skillet put one cup of light brown sugar and one-half cup of hot water. Let boil for three or four minutes, then drop in five nice cooking apples, which have been peeled, cored and halved. Let these stew in the syrup until they are tender and fluffy, then drain them out into a glass dish. In another saucepan have ready one tablespoon of butter melted with one tablespoon of flour, and over this pour one-half cup of cream. When hot, add to the boiling syrup, stirring briskly for several minutes, then pour over the apples and serve either hot or cold.

Apple Ambrosia.—Make a syrup of two cups of sugar, one cup of water and the juice and thin yellow rind of half a lemon. Pare six large tart apples, preferably pippins, cut each in six or eight pieces, removing the core, and cook in the hot syrup till clear. They will be lighter and keep their shape better if cooked a few at a time. Place in a large glass dish, straining the syrup over them, and set on the ice to chill. Meanwhile, cut a large, mellow pineapple in half with a silver fork and scrape the shell with a spoon. This will be round-easier and more expeditious and quite as economical as the old process of gouging and paring. Sprinkle with sugar and turn, occasionally until this is dissolved, and then add to the apple sauce, and let them stand together for at least an hour. Serve very cold.

Apple Cream Pie.—Stew one quart of apples till transparent, rub through a colander, sweeten to taste, add one cup

of cream, flavored with one teaspoon extract of lemon. Line a pie plate with good pie crust, fill with the apples and bake till the crust is done. Have ready a meringue of whites of two eggs, beaten stiff with three tablespoons sugar and flavor with a few drops of lemon; spread over pie and brown.

Apple Souffle.—Take one cup of baked apple, freed from skin and seeds, and whip with an egg beater till frothy. Cook in a double boiler two spoons of flour and two tablespoons of butter till smooth. Add half a cup of milk, beaten yolks of three eggs and about one-quarter cup of powdered sugar. Last of all, add the stiffly beaten whites of three eggs. Pour in a china baking dish, stand in a tin of boiling water and bake for twenty-five minutes. Make a meringue with the whites of two eggs and two tablespoons of powdered sugar. Cover the top of the souffle with this and return to the oven to brown slightly. Serve at once.

NEW GRAND THEATRE.

It is a safe assertion that every person who can attend the Grand Theatre this week will be there, which means that Mrs. J. J. Jamieson has a successful house assured this week. The opening act, Mlle. Martha, in her aerial act is indeed a surprise and the audience quickly feels admiration for the ease and dexterity with which she swings from her perch high in the air, touching the top of the flies with her toes. She is, moreover, one of the most graceful little performers and has a charming personality. She rushes through her dangerous feats with such swiftness that spectators hardly realize all that she crowds into the act till it is over. The finale, a rope descent done under a display of colored lights, is an admirable piece of work practically indescribable in detail, but it makes a tremendous hit.

"The Battle of Bay Rum," a three-man travesty, is as breezy as it is promised to be. It bubbles over with rich comedy and pointed jokes, and is responsible for a gale of laughter while it lasts. The scene is on the deck of the "Sandy Hook," a battleship. An awful lot of nonsense and sparkling repartee strung on to a would-be plot, with songs introduced and sung by Ed. Gallagher, as the Admiral, and Lou Sheans, as Shaky Shultz, the Battle of Bay Rum is one of the best of the vaudeville stage has had.

Dorothy Dahl has a winning song in "Redhead" and another in her encore, "Families Supplied." Her voice is clear and sweet and she sings without affectation. All four songs are new and catchy. Steeley and Edwards, musicians and comedians, furnish plenty of mirth, and at the same time play a number of instrumental selections in excellent style. Edwards makes a cap-

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DR. SAMSON ON ANNUITIES

ADDRESSED GATHERING AT INSTITUTE HALL

Federal Government Lecturer Will Likely Speak Here Again.

Dr. Samson, who has been engaged by the federal government to tour the Dominion of Canada and explain the old-age annuity question, spoke on this subject in Institute hall last evening. Dr. Samson said that he thought the bad weather had kept a large number away, and that he hoped to lecture in this city again, and then there would probably be a much larger audience. He hoped that his words would convey some message to those present. Alex. Wilson acted as chairman throughout the evening.

Dr. Samson claims that no country in the world has come so near to solving the great problem of providing for the old age of its inhabitants as Canada has done in the Annuity Act (fathered by Sir Richard Cartwright). He explained that it is no pension scheme. That Canadians needed no old age pensions, he said, had been agreed to without discussion by both parties when the bill was introduced, and no discussion on this score had been necessary. Both sides of the house had agreed that every man in Canada could provide for himself and his family, and that every man can provide for his old age.

He addressed himself in the first place to the wage earner who can save a small amount weekly, from one dollar to two dollars. In a number of humorous illustrations he showed what might be done with this small saving. It could be carried in the pocket or stowed away in the house, it might be put in the bank but it might be withdrawn. It might even be put in the post-office savings bank, an institution which he eulogized highly but it might be withdrawn from there with a month's notice. Many a man, he said, had saved \$300 or \$400 and placed it in the bank as a fund for his old age, only to take it out for unforeseen expenses or for speculation. Rarely, if ever, was it replaced. The government, he said had simply made one more place for the savings, a place where it had to remain until the depositor had in mind when putting it away. Nowhere else on earth, he declared, can an annuity be bought on the terms now offered under the system of the Canadian government.

An annuity he explained, is an arrangement made with a company or a country (never with a private individual) to pay in a certain sum of money in any matter decided upon, with the understanding that at a certain time, a man ceases paying and be-

gins to draw out his money. If he then lives as many years as he has a right to expect to live, according to the death rate of the country, when he dies he will have drawn out all the money he ever had in and all the interest on it, barring expenses. In the Canadian Annuity system, the interest is four per cent, compounded every year and there are no expenses. The entire expense down to the smallest item, is paid out of the general fund of the whole country as a bonus of encouragement from the whole people of Canada to those who may choose to make provision for old age. Once a man reaches the period of his annuity, he continues to draw every ninety days as long as he lives, and if he dies, the government returns to his family, and to no one else, all the money he has paid in with interest compounded at three per cent, from the day his account was opened. The annuity is inalienable and has the whole resources of the country as a guarantee. No execution, or judgment, or the collector can touch a dollar of it. No man loses his investment by neglecting his payments. His annuity only becomes smaller through his neglect. No deposit once made can be withdrawn until the date of maturity, the idea being that in a serious moment the man has set this money aside for a half and specific purpose and the government will carry out his plan as far as possible.

Anyone can buy an annuity, from the age of five to seventy-five. No annuity is payable until the age of fifty-five is reached, but any later age can be named, and the later the larger the annuity will be. No annuity, under the system adopted, can be less than \$50 per year, nor more than \$500. The payments can be made in any way, monthly, quarterly or yearly, and they need not be kept up. In any event the full amount paid in, with interest, will be returned. If, on reaching the age of 55, the annuity would amount to less than \$50 no annuity will be paid but the whole amount with interest will be returned. Anyone living in Canada may purchase an annuity, and so perfect is the system that no known circumstance can arise that is not provided for.

Dr. Samson quoted a number of figures showing the results of certain payments, commenced at different ages. He explained that pamphlets and tables containing all the needed information may be had from any postmaster in the Dominion. He stated that the scheme has already not with great success. Over a quarter of a million dollars has already been deposited, but he believes that the greatest good of the system will be in the building up of the people in habits of saving and in steering the young men of Canada in a path that will make men and real citizens of them.

Comparing the Canadian Annuity system with the English pension system, Dr. Samson drew a vivid picture. In England the man who desires to go on the pension roll must go before a court committee and prove that he is seventy years old; that he is a British subject, that he has been in the country for the past twenty years except when absent on his regular employment, that he has never been a loafer, that he has never accepted charity, that he has never committed any

offence against the law and that all his income from any source is less than \$109 a year. He then becomes entitled to \$1.25. If his income is a little more he is entitled to only one-fifth of that sum. If a boy of fifteen in Canada will save ten cents a day for one single year and deposit it in the government annuities, he will receive an annual payment while he lives beyond seventy years, \$35 a year more than any man in Britain will ever receive under the famous English pension fund.

Dr. Samson concluded his address with a series of intimately entertaining anecdotes illustrating the uncertainties of life, even in a rich country like Canada, and the absolute necessity of every man providing for his old age. As a story teller he has few equals among the most noted lecturers and he swayed his hearers from tears to laughter for an hour. He made an urgent plea for the young men of Canada, voicing his conviction that the annuities system will inculcate habits of thrift and saving that will make men of loafers good citizens of carefree, pleasure-seeking youths.

TO REVISE LAWS OF CHINESE EMPIRE

Commissioner Returns From Studying Constitutional Government in Japan.

Li Chia-chu, Chinese commissioner for studying constitutional government in Japan, who has lately returned to his own empire from that country to China, has memorialized the throne to the effect that before constitutional government can go into operation, the laws in China should be revised so that the rights of the people may be safeguarded. He has, therefore, submitted to the throne a list of the conditions proposed by him for the approval of the throne as follows:

1. That orders should be given to the board of laws and the grand court of revision to hasten the establishment of courts of justice which shall have the power to try all legal cases in a uniform manner.

2. That inasmuch as the criminal laws are so important, the government should select suitable methods of administering them from abroad, on the following lines:

1st. That a line of demarcation should be drawn between civil and criminal cases.

2nd. That all constitutional principles be amalgamated.

3rd. That a selection be made from modern laws in force in eastern and western countries.

3. That the government should not adopt the commercial and civil laws of foreign countries and should not allow the trade to fall into the hands of foreigners. That experienced members of the gentry should be appointed to proceed to various provinces to study local conditions of commerce, etc.

4. That the commissioner for the revision of the penal code should first compile the civil code.

HOW CANADA FOUGHT PANIC

GRATIFYING POSITION IN MONETARY AFFAIRS

July Bank Statement is Subject for Congratulation in Dominion.

The advent of the July bank statement is always awaited with considerable anxiety. The figures of our chartered banks each month are now not only followed closely by Canadian, but also by United States and British interests, writes F. W. F. in the Monetary Times of this week. The amount of foreign capital now invested in Canada has caused the Canadian monthly bank statement to become of international importance. As noted elsewhere, several hundred millions of dollars are invested in industrial and manufacturing enterprises in the Dominion, which sum is controlled by United States financiers. As to the extent to which British capital is invested, the Monetary Times of 1909, the year authorized capital of Canada's chartered banks was, in that year, \$41,568,666, of which \$32,980,398 was paid up. Thus in forty years the capital banking power has increased about 243 per cent. in authorized capital and 203 per cent. in capital actually paid up; an average increase of approximately 34 per cent. per annum. Then, again, banking development has fully kept pace with the general progress of the country. For instance, during the first seven months of this year no less than 140 new branches of our banks were opened. Wherever deposits were to be obtained or good loans required, our financial institutions lost no time in fulfilling their mission and satisfying legitimate needs. The mining industry in Northern Ontario may be cited as an example. The city of Cobalt is amply provided with banking facilities, and even the new district of Elk Lake has three branch bank offices. After the United States panic and the consequent natural depression in Canada about two years ago, it was said that two good average crops in the Canadian West would pull the country out of the industrial mire. Last year produced a satisfactory harvest at reasonable prices. This year is likely to do better. But the feature of our economic career in a recent period is the remarkable progress which has been made on the strength of not two, but of one year's crop, together with the cautious

attitude of our banks and business men. It was fully realized that "half speed ahead" was to be the order during the Canadian industrial baroque. Credit was curtailed to some extent, but this does not appear to have hurt any large section of our business interests.

In July, 1907, prior to the depression, the current loans in Canada totalled \$81 millions. Last year they experienced a decline to \$25 millions. This year they have increased to \$39 millions, showing also a gain over June of four millions. Total deposits, which dropped in 1908 22 millions, as compared with 1907, in July just, showed a gain over the previous July of no less than 121 millions.

Before analyzing further the bank figures, it is interesting to know how the bank clearings have fared during the first half year of 1909. The total for Canada's thirteen clearing houses during the first six months of the current year is \$2,309,000,342, while the amount for the same period last year was only \$1,855,346,234. Thus there has been an increase in the half-year period of 29 per cent.

The railroad earnings also show a gratifying increase in the same period. The revenue of the C. P. R., G. T. R. and C. N. R. for the first six months of 1909 was \$52,966,481, and for the first half-year of 1908, \$47,606,228. That is a gain of \$5,360,253, or 11.7 per cent.

Commercial expansion has been encouraged by an extension of the bank's loaning policy. The total loans in Canada during July, 1909, 264 millions, exceeded the loans of July, 1908 and 1907. The year between was the unfortunate "boom" period.

At the time the Canadian banks shut down sharply on credit nearly two years ago, many complaints were heard. But a word of praise is due to the Canadian bankers for the manner in which they have assisted to bring the country back to what is now almost the normal plane of prosperity. This has been done in a remarkably short period. While much of the increased loaning power has gone into industrial expansion, the crop movement undoubtedly is claiming a large amount of money. From a financial standpoint the harvest of 1909 will probably be the most important in Canadian history.

While the average yield will probably not be of unusual proportions, the high prices ruling for wheat will considerably increase financial responsibility. The value of Canada's wheat and coarse grain this year may be roughly estimated and conservatively estimated at \$160,000,000. This is based on a yield estimated from the various prophecies and on prevailing market prices.

That the banks have been supplied with ample money for loaning purposes is at once evident from a glance at the deposits account. Only three within

the past twelve months have deposits on demand show a decline, and only twice have deposits after notice in the same period exhibited a loss. In July, 1908, the total deposits were 567 millions, and in July last 688 millions. The gradual growth during the twelve months is seen in the following table:

	Deposits on Depts. after Demand.	Notice.
1908.		
July	\$164,791,398	\$402,964,565
Aug.	175,847,237	407,481,904
Sept.	183,207,740	410,332,819
Oct.	190,114,691	414,789,347
Nov.	206,315,809	416,920,274
Dec.	210,180,147	429,719,218
1909-Jan.	193,286,465	443,179,532
Feb.	192,968,536	441,390,540
March	200,843,984	445,626,884
April	207,039,081	450,450,722
May	216,916,294	453,598,117
June	226,480,468	453,178,476
July	222,555,749	466,337,816

The growth of deposits within the past five years is even more marked. In 1905, the total was 474 millions, and as noted, this July it was 688 millions, a gain in that period of 214 millions, or 45 per cent.

During the first six months of this year the investing business in Canada has been unusually active. Prices of securities have greatly appreciated, while municipalities, the Dominion and provincial governments have taken advantage of the plentiful supply of money to low rates to finance their requirements. The Dominion government have raised 12½ millions sterling in London; the provincial governments have obtained about 13 million dollars at home and abroad, and Canadian municipalities have disposed of more than 20 million dollars worth of their debentures.

It may be that with the advent of crop time, money hitherto used for investment will now be diverted into crop channels. Later, the benefit of a good harvest will undoubtedly be felt in manufacturing circles. Thus, the financier, the farmer and the manufacturer will in turn have his taste of prosperity.

The situation in Canada at present must strongly appeal to the man with surplus capital to invest. Not only has this country valuable and extensive natural resources, but it has proved in the past two years that it knows of an excellent way to handle a financial and commercial depression. The manner in which the Dominion stood firmly against the panic wave emanating from the United States, wrestled with its own economic problems, and brought the country back to a satisfactory position, is a record which the financial and business world may well admire.

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CLARICE AND I.

(BY T. DONOVAN BAYLEY.)

I looked at Clarice.
"At any rate," said I, "we might run and see the place." But Clarice thought not.

"What is the use?" she asked.
"You never can tell," I replied, tentatively.

I possessed three hundred a year, and I wanted to marry her, but Clarice considered the amount preposterously small, and though she liked me too well to dismiss me entirely, she would never discuss matrimony.
"Listen again," I went on. "This very attractive residence, an old-fashioned detached cottage—"

"Detached from everything, and too old-fashioned to have a bath-room," interrupted Clarice.

"With pretty porch entrance—"

"Made of soap boxes."

"Situating in the country off the main road."

"Ankle deep in mud three-fourths of the year."

"Four miles from the station—"

"Which has four trains a day to nowhere in particular."

"And close to the beautiful Wiltshire downs."

"Yes, yes, and then?"

"With very salubrious surroundings."

"With no water, and absolutely no decent people for miles."

"The accommodation consists of three reception—"

"Not fit to receive a pig in."

"Rooms, fifteen and a half feet by eighteen and a half feet, four good bedrooms—"

"Which would asphyxiate anyone in an hour."

"Box-room—"

"Pill-box room—"

"Coach-house and stabling for two—"

"If the coach is left in the yard, and the horses take turns to stand in the stalls."

"Splendid garden, planted with flowers—"

"A pennyworth of mixed seeds and a decadent laurel bush."

"Glass house—"

"Built on to the kitchen window-sill."

"Capital water," I read triumphantly.

"Laden with typhoid," she answered sadly.

"Productive soil—"

"Shooting obtainable—"

"Perhaps you're fond of sparrow pie."

"Price, freehold, two hundred and eighty-five pounds," I concluded.

She looked at me and smiled.

"Now, Dick," she said, "it seems likely to attract me."

I glanced at her gown. The cost of it would have gone some little way towards the buying of that "very attractive old-fashioned cottage," but I had hopes of Clarice, and I went on:

"Come down and see it. At least you can do that."

"Dick, it's not a little bit of use."

"If I commit myself to nothing."

"To nothing at all, Clarice."

would mean "A.B.C." meals whenever we ran up to town."

"Hardly!" said I. "We could save up and have an expensive time once a quarter, or something like that."

We left the station and found an "A.B.C." shop, we had tea and cake. Clarice seemed to enjoy it. When we went out, she took my arm and pressed it for a moment.

"Dickie," said Clarice, "they gave us quite nice tea, and I liked my cake."

"From which I am to infer?"

"That I was very hungry, or—"

"Or any one of ten million things."

We returned to the station and found our train waiting. I opened the door of a third-class carriage and Clarice entered.

"I have first-class tickets," said I; "but they are not in harmony with the 'A.B.C.' I dislike discord."

"I'm not so fond of music," replied Clarice.

"On that understanding," said I, "I will consent to travel first." We changed carriages. An inspector came up.

"There was plenty of room third," he said gruffly.

"But not so much comfort," I replied.

"You must pay the excess fare, then."

"Besides," said I, "the third-class carriage seems so dirty."

"I want the excess fare, sir," and he produced a little book.

"Go and amuse yourself with something intellectual," I answered. "I find you dull company."

"I'll go right enough when you pay the excess. You're not so entertaining yourself."

"Look here," I said. "I have first-class tickets, as you may see. Here is half a crown to lock this door and go away."

"I beg your pardon, sir, but when I saw you getting in here, I had to do my duty."

"It would take too long to explain it to you," I answered. "But it refers to harmony, a country cottage, an 'A.B.C.' and one of your third-class carriages."

"That does seem a bit beyond me, sir."

"You have flashes of intuition," said I, as he turned away.

"Dickie," said Clarice, "buy me a paper. You're so ineffably stupid."

"I shall do nothing of the sort; I mean to entertain you myself."

We were clear of London before she spoke again.

"You're very good fun, Dickie," she said. "But would you amuse me for always? Mightn't your good humor tire me sometimes?"

"Good humor is scarce, Clarice, although it has kept me going when I had nothing else to go on. I think I'm rather affectionate, too."

She grew wistful and serious.

"Dickie," she asked earnestly, "what are you?"

"I'm not good at self-analysis," I said. "but I do know one thing, dear—"

"That's a step forward, anyhow," she broke in, "now stop talking and let me think."

She thought all the way to our destination, at which we arrived shortly before three o'clock. A chauffeur was waiting on the platform. He came up to us inquiring:

"Mr. Ferrers, sir?"

"Yes," I said.

"Very pleased to welcome you."

"Thank you," I whispered. "not a word. I am glad you got my telegram."

"Yes, sir, but I should have waited anyway."

"Are you ready to start?" I questioned.

"Quite ready, sir." He led the way to the motor and held the door open for Clarice to enter.

"I thought we were going to walk, Dickie," she said reproachfully. "You should not have gone to this trouble and expense," she added. The chauffeur looked puzzled, and I stared him in the eyes as I answered:

"This car belongs to a very great friend of mine, and he has lent it to me. Is that not so, Henry?"

down here, Dickie," Clarice said. "Let her go," said I to the man.

Clarice likes speed, and the rush kept her in silent ecstasy, which was what I desired, for I did not care to be communicative regarding this particular friend. The four miles was soon accomplished, and we drew up in front of our "desirable cottage."

"Well, Clarice!" said I.

"I must admit that it is rather pretty from the outside," she answered.

"Do you like the outside well enough to wish to go in?" I asked.

"Yes, but I commit myself to nothing; please remember that."

"Such was the bargain, Clarice, and I shall not forget it."

I knocked, and a pretty old lady came to the door, with whom I had five minutes private conversation, and then I returned to Clarice.

"We may look over the cottage," I reported. "The old lady is the tenant. She is going out, but will permit us to keep house for her until she returns. I also arranged with her for lunch."

"You have very good moments, Dickie," I'm hungry."

"It's only gold, beef, salad, cheese, milk and ale," I warned her.

"The ale for you and the milk for me," she answered gaily.

"Agreed," said I. "Come back in an hour, Henry, and if the nice old lady would like a turn in the motor."

"Thank you, sir," said Henry. "She's a great friend of mine, and she'll enjoy it."

When Clarice and I went in, she gave an exclamation of delight. The hall was paneled in oak, and the stairs were oak also, and carpeted in dark red. We turned into the front room, a low-raftered apartment with the same dark panelling. Henry nodded in at us through the open diamond-shaped casements, and blended their scent with other sweet-scented flowers.

Clarice's face took on a far-away expression, and I wanted to kiss her, a frequent wish of mine. She sat down silently in the window seat, and drank in the charm of the old place. I stood by and watched her, and presently she spoke.

"Dickie, tell me truly, what sort of man are you? Are you one woman could trust in, and feel secure? I don't think you've ever shown me your true self. You joke about everything. Tell me truly, Dickie."

"I can't tell you, Clarice. You must discover and learn for yourself. Perhaps if I were able to say things to convince you I might not be the sort it would be well for you to be convinced of."

She looked at me very kindly and smiled.

"You are inarticulate, Dickie, but have shown me my soul—and you have saved it alive, Dickie."

"Bless you, Clarice."

"You, too, Dickie."

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his wife, and I waited to know what she would do, knowing I was poor. So I waited, waited watching her eyes.

"At last she said:

"Dickie, you'll be good to me?"

"Yes, Clarice."

"I've tried to say 'no,' Dickie, and I cannot." A little sob broke from her, and her eyes shone as a woman's eyes should shine when she looks on the man of her choice.

"Dickie, you don't know all it means. Mother will be angry, so angry, and she'll cry at me, and that I cannot bear." A little smile showed through her tears. "Father will be bitter, and he'll say unkind things about you; then I shall feel I cannot love him, because, you see, Dickie, I love you so much. Oh, so much!" I held out my arms to her, but she stood away.

"Dickie," she continued in a low, amazed voice, "I used to think I should never be brave enough. I used to think I should let you go. Let you go, Dickie! Wasn't I foolish? I couldn't let you go. What should I do without you?" I've been trying to make myself think I was weighing you, but I've been weighing myself."

"Then she came to me, fluttering against me like a bird."

"We shall be rich, after all," I said.

"Yes, Dickie, we shall be rich. You've taught me that."

"We went down into the front room again, and I plucked a white rose and gave it to her."

"Thank you, Dickie. If you had given me a red rose it wouldn't have seemed quite right, would it?"

Presently the car returned and we got in.

"Where to, sir?" asked Henry, the chauffeur.

"Home!" said I.

"Home?" asked Clarice in a strangled voice.

"Yes," I said, "well."

We passed along lanes and quiet roads, and the peace of the summer afternoon seemed to enfold us. We sat silent. I because I had no words, and she because emotion had stifled her.

At length we reached the end of our ride, the lodge gates were opened by the waiting servants, and we came to rest in front of Brinsall House.

"Clarice," said I, "this is my home. Sir Walter Ferrers was my cousin, and he died a week ago."

"I did not know," she said.

"All this is mine and yours."

"Then, why, Dickie—"

"Can you not answer your own question?"

"Was it vanity, Dickie?"

"My dear, have I not shown you anything?"

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ROMANCE OF ENGINEERING

A GREAT TRIUMPH FOR THE BRITISHERS

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To those who know anything of the geography of New York, and how the long neck of land on which the city is built is separated from the mainland on each side by two channels, it will be easy to understand how vastly important has been the work which now makes it possible to bring the railway from one side to the other, instead of using the old-fashioned ferry-boats which before the tunnel provided the only means of transit.

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Beef, per lb. 1.20
Lamb, hindquarter, per lb. 1.50
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New York, Oct. 19.

High	Low	Close
Ala. Copper	53 1/2	53 1/2
Amer. Car & Foundry	71 3/4	71 3/4
Do. pref.	118 1/2	118 1/2
Amer. Col. Oil	78 1/2	78 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	59 1/2	59 1/2
Amer. Smelting	89 1/2	89 1/2
Do. pref.	112 1/2	112 1/2
Amer. Tel.	141 1/2	141 1/2
Amer. Woolen	36 3/4	36 3/4
Do. pref.	102 1/2	102 1/2
Atlantic Coast	140 1/2	140 1/2
Atchafalpa	121 1/2	121 1/2
B. & O.	116 1/2	116 1/2
B. R. T.	78 1/2	78 1/2
C. C. & S. M.	74 1/2	74 1/2
C. P. R.	186 1/2	186 1/2
C. & O.	88 1/2	88 1/2
C. & A.	70 1/2	70 1/2
C. & G. W.	144 1/2	144 1/2
C. & N. W.	192 1/2	192 1/2
G. M. & S. P.	160 1/2	160 1/2
Central Leather	49 1/2	49 1/2
C. F. & I.	45 1/2	45 1/2
Con. Gas	145 1/2	145 1/2
Inter. Metals	32 1/2	32 1/2
D. & R. G.	50 1/2	50 1/2
Do. pref.	86 1/2	86 1/2
Distillers	36 1/2	36 1/2
Erie	84 1/2	84 1/2
Genl. Elec.	165 1/2	165 1/2
G. N. Ore. Cts.	83 1/2	83 1/2
G. N. pref.	140 1/2	140 1/2
Ill. Cen.	145 1/2	145 1/2
Inter. Met.	12 1/2	12 1/2
Do. pref.	51 1/2	51 1/2
Iowa Central	30 1/2	30 1/2
Do. pref.	32 1/2	32 1/2
L. & N.	182 1/2	182 1/2
Do. pref.	157 1/2	157 1/2
M. K. & F.	69 1/2	69 1/2
M. Pac.	68 1/2	68 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	115 1/2	115 1/2
N. Y. S. S.	125 1/2	125 1/2
N. Y. O. & W.	47 1/2	47 1/2
N. & W.	96 1/2	96 1/2
N. P.	141 1/2	141 1/2
Pacific Mail	38 1/2	38 1/2
Rock. Is.	147 1/2	147 1/2
People's Gas	115 1/2	115 1/2
Pittsburg Coal	20 1/2	20 1/2
Pressed Steel	48 1/2	48 1/2
Reading	164 1/2	164 1/2
Rep. Steel	47 1/2	47 1/2
Rock Island	41 1/2	41 1/2
Do. pref.	78 1/2	78 1/2
Sloss Steel	92 1/2	92 1/2
S. P.	150 1/2	150 1/2
Sou. Ry.	32 1/2	32 1/2
Third Ave.	51 1/2	51 1/2
T. St. L. & W.	54 1/2	54 1/2
Do. pref.	71 1/2	71 1/2
U. P.	304 1/2	304 1/2
Do. pref.	104 1/2	104 1/2
U. S. Steel	32 1/2	32 1/2
U. S. Steel	91 1/2	91 1/2
Do. pref.	127 1/2	127 1/2
Utah Copper	49 1/2	49 1/2
Wabash	51 1/2	51 1/2
Do. pref.	51 1/2	51 1/2
Western Union	77 1/2	77 1/2
Ann. Beet Sugar	48 1/2	48 1/2
Kan. City Saw	44 1/2	44 1/2
Money on call, 4 per cent.		
Total sales, \$50,800 shares.		

GRAIN MARKET(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Oct. 19.
Open High Low Close

Wheat—			
Dec.	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
May	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
July	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Corn—			
Dec.	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
May	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
July	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Pork—			
Dec.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
May	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
July	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Lard—			
Dec.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
May	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Short Rib—			
Dec.	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
May	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2

MINING STOCKS(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Spokane, Oct. 19.

Bid	Asked
Alameda	3 1/2
Copper King	3 1/2
Gertie	1 1/2
Humming Bird	8 1/2
International Coal & Coke	82 1/2
Inter-Met.	12 1/2
Idaho S. & R.	6 1/2
Kendall	25 1/2
Lucky Calumet	6 1/2
Mineral Farm	12 1/2
M. St. P. & S. M.	25 1/2
Monitor	25 1/2
Nabob	3 1/2
North Franklin	4 1/2
Rambler Cariboo	2 1/2
Rex	3 1/2
Snowflake	6 1/2
Snowstorm	14 1/2
Stewart	50 1/2

TRADE BETWEEN**GERMANY AND CANADA****Figures Showing the Imports and Exports at Port of Hamburg.**

Public attention has recently been much directed towards the tariff relations between Canada and Germany, in view of which the opening paragraph of the report of Consul-General William Ward, representing the British Empire, upon the trade of Hamburg, will be worth consideration. The export and import trade of that district which comprises the cities of Hamburg, Lübeck and Bremen, the Prussian provinces of Schleswig-Holstein and Hanover, the Grand Duchies of Weichburg-Scheverin and Mecklenburg-Strelitz, is practically one-half the trade of the German empire. The statistics of the department of trade and commerce for the year 1908 places the total trade with Germany at \$10,625,352 including \$2,474,607 of exports and \$8,150,745 of imports. As no classification of imports is contained, the actual commodities and their quantities sent into Hamburg from the Dominion can only be proportionately gauged from the Canadian statistics.

The chief articles exported to Germany for 1908 were: Bran, \$332,208; wheat, \$248,277; apples, \$110,190; agricultural implements, \$831,310; and seeds, \$271,543.

According to the official Hamburg statistics the total annual value respectivity of the imports from and the exports to Canada at Hamburg during 1908 and each of the preceding five years has been as follows, viz:

Imports	Exports
1903	1903
1904	1904
1905	1905
1906	1906
1907	1907
1908	1908

It will be seen from the preceding figures that whilst the first effect of the tariff war which commenced between these two countries in 1905, was the cause of a considerable diminution both in the import and export trade, the total annual value of both began to increase again after 1906, and that in 1907 and 1908 the imports from Canada to Hamburg exceeded in value the imports of 1903, whilst the total value of the exports from Hamburg to Canada during each of the last two years also showed a very marked recovery.

The gradual development in the export trade from Hamburg and other parts of Germany which took place previous to the commencement of the present tariff war had led people in Germany to hope that Canada would, in course of time, become one of the best markets for German exporters, particularly as Germany's commerce with Western Canada steadily increased; and the fact that these emigrants continued to use largely German industrial products contributed towards increasing the demand for them. The disappointment caused to German exporters by the present tariff war between Canada and Germany has consequently been considerable, and it is greatly desired here that the customs regime between the two countries should, as soon as possible, be placed on a more satisfactory footing. The recent ratification of the commercial treaty between Canada and France, according to which French goods will in some instances have a considerable advantage over German goods, moreover, given additional impulse to this wish. The establishment of a monthly steam service, between Hamburg, Bremen and other continental North Sea ports and Canadian ports will, it is hoped here, largely assist in developing trade between Germany and Canada.

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Your Wife Will Like This House

It is on Princess avenue, near the new city park, on a lot 60 x 120. It has seven rooms and is exceedingly well laid out. The interior finish is a rich natural fir. An attractive reception hall communicates with the sitting room—a striking room, with its rich oak mantel and tasty fittings. Opening from it by sliding doors is a spacious dining room in similar style. It is the kitchen, however, that will delight the heart of any housewife. It is complete in every detail, with its big pantry and scullery, furnished with shelves and drawers galore. A triple entrance to the cellar is one of the features of the house. Upstairs there are three bedrooms, all with roomy closets that will hold a trunk or two each, and still leave room for clothes. Off the upstairs hall is a big linen closet. There are two toilets—one upstairs and one down. We almost forgot, too, to mention that off the dining room is a little wash room with an enamel hand basin. The house is piped for furnace. Everything about the place gives evidence of forethought and taste. It was built by the owner. We can, on that account, offer it below its actual value. It is going for \$3,650, \$700 cash, the balance in easy monthly payments. If you have a good building lot worth \$700 or \$800, and it suits, we'll take it as part payment. If you do not know Princess avenue we may say that it is about 10 minutes' walk from the city hall. At a recent meeting of the city council it was decided to grade and boulevard this street this fall, which, when done, will make it one of the best residential streets in the city.

Island Investment Co., Ltd.

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ZELAYA SAID TO HAVE GRAFTED

DEPOSED PRESIDENT OF NICARAGUA OUT

His Successor Formulates a Long List of Charges Against Him.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Bluefield, Nicaragua, Oct. 18.—Declaring that the recently overthrown president of Nicaragua, Zelaya, was "a crook and a knave" Acting Provincial President Estrada, to-day issued a public statement in which he asserted that Zelaya had grafted and fraudulently obtained the presidency of the country, and that it had become the main plank in the administration platform.

He stated that Zelaya had granted exclusive monopolies for tobacco, liquor and explosives, that he had given over the sole rights for the navigation of lakes and rivers to private corporations, that exclusive privileges were enjoyed by those in his favor who held the rights to do all the butchering, fishing and mining within the boundaries of the country.

CHEQUE PASSER IS GIVEN FOUR MONTHS

Roland B. Pettif Will Work on Rock Pile and Sober Up.

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The new route chosen is by way of Odessa, Posen, Frankfurt and Besancon. France, and involves a railroad journey of nearly 2,000 miles. A meeting between the Emperor and the President of France during the trip is possible.

CZAR NICHOLAS GOES A LONG WAY AROUND

On Coming Visit to Italy He Will Avoid Traversing Bavaria.

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A NATIONAL AFFAIR.
Seattle, Oct. 19.—The date for the hearing of the Cunningham-Alaska coal land cases, made a national question by the recent Hallinger-Pinchot-Clayton episode, will probably be determined late this afternoon. The government is ready and prepared to go with the case at any time.

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Alberta Coal & Coke	104	104
American Canadian Oil	104	104
B. C. Amalgamated Coal	60 1/2	60 1/2
B. C. Permanent Loan	91 1/2	91 1/2
B. C. Refining Co.	60	60
Bakeries, Ltd.	7 1/2	7 1/2
Caribou McKinney	61	61
Canadian Northwest Oil	23	23
Diamond Coal	50 1/2	50 1/2
Diamond Vale Coal & Iron	54	54
International Coal & Coke	32	32
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	60 1/2	60 1/2
Northern Crown Bank	92 1/2	92 1/2
Northern Oil	40 1/2	40 1/2
Pacific Loan Co.	60 1/2	60 1/2
Pacific Whaling Co. pref.	60 1/2	60 1/2
Do. com.	60 1/2	60 1/2
Portland Canal Mining	15 1/2	15 1/2
Rambler Cariboo	11 1/2	11 1/2
Silvest Brick	1 1/2	1 1/2
Stewart M. & D. Co.	1 1/2	1 1/2
Vancouver Baguette Coal	1 1/2	1 1/2
Victoria Transfer Co.	60 1/2	60 1/2
Western Coal & Coke	60 1/2	60 1/2
Western Steel Corporation	47 1/2	47 1/2
Pacific Radio Wireless	1 1/2	1 1/2

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	144	144
C. P. R.	186 1/2	186 1/2
Detroit United Ry.	68 1/2	68 1/2
Dona. Coal	90 1/2	90 1/2
Dona. Iron & S.	50 1/2	50 1/2
Do. pref.	125 1/2	125 1/2
Lake of Woods	142 1/2	142 1/2
Mackay	92 1/2	92 1/2
Do. pref.	125 1/2	125 1/2
Montreal L. & P.	124 1/2	124 1/2
Montreal St. Ry.	218 1/2	218 1/2
Montreal Telegraph	74 1/2	74 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2
Ogilvie Mfg. Co.	139 1/2	139 1/2
Do. pref.	127 1/2	127 1/2
R. & O. Navigation Co.	85 1/2	85 1/2
Toronto Ry. Co.	124 1/2	124 1/2
Twin City Rap. Trans.	109 1/2	109 1/2
Penman	97 1/2	97 1/2
B. C. Packers "A"	92 1/2	92 1/2
Do. "B"	92 1/2	92 1/2

—Merchants' lunch from 12 to 2 p. m. at the Poodle Dog.

LOCAL MARKETS

Wheat (R. C.), per lb.	1.65
Wheat (A. C.), per lb.	1.75
Bacon (R. C.), per lb.	2.25
Bacon (A. C.), per lb.	2.30
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	2.35
Beef, per lb.	1.20
Lamb, hindquarter, per lb.	1.50
Lamb, forequarter, per lb.	1.35
Veal, per lb.	1.20
Butter, per lb.	1.10
Eggs, per doz.	1.00
Honey, per lb.	1.00
Milk, per gal.	1.00
Cream, per gal.	1.00
Flour, per sack	1.00
Sugar, per sack	1.00
Coffee, per sack	1.00
Tea, per sack	1.00
Rice, per sack	1.00
Oats, per sack	1.00
Barley, per sack	1.00
Clover, per sack	1.00
Hay, per sack	1.00
Straw, per sack	1.00
Wheat, per sack	1.00
Oats, per sack	1.00
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NEW 6-ROOMED HOUSE on Hillside avenue, lot 54x120, to a home. Small cash payment and \$25.00 per month will handle this.

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FOR SALE—A SNAP.

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LOT 50x120, DAVY ST., \$550.00; \$50.00 cash, balance easy.

FINE RESIDENTIAL LOT, TRUTCH ST., price \$1,200.00; one-third cash, balance easy.

LOT ON GOVERNMENT ST., price \$1,575.00.

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NIAGARA STREET—Dwelling, 7 rooms, fine lot, 60x120; \$2,500.

MODERN DWELLING and 2 Lots, with bath, furnace, electric light, sewer, in Oak Bay; \$3,650.

4 NICE LOTS in Fairfield Estate; \$2,100.

38 ACRES—One mile from Westholm Station, with frontage on Chehalis River; \$2,000.

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JAMES BAY—\$1,050, nice corner lot, Caledonia Park, cheap, easy terms.

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PEMBROKE ST.—4 rooms, modern, \$15 per month.

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QUADRA ST.—7 rooms, modern, \$25 per month.

FIGUARD ST.—4 rooms, modern, \$25 per month.

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SEVERAL SMALL COTTAGES on easy terms.

PORT ANGELES—Lots are increasing in value daily; reports are most encouraging; you should buy now and reap the benefit of your foresight. Call and get particulars. Acreage or lots.

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HERE ARE A FEW MORE SNAPS.

\$750—Will buy a choice building lot, 65x100, all in bearing fruit trees, situated on King's road, close to school and carline.

\$750—Michigan street, large lot 60x120, facing south; reasonable terms can be arranged.

\$2,500—Cottage, 6 rooms, enameled bath, wash basin, cement foundation and cellar; all in 3rd class order; only 5 minutes' walk from post office; reasonable terms can be arranged.

We have a client who will exchange 2-3 of an acre of land in the city as part payment for small cottage and lot, producing revenue.

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2 GOOD LOTS, Craigflower road, near Gorge, price \$400 each; small cash payment, balance easy; or \$800 cash will buy the 2.

DO YOU WANT A NICE HOME, 10 minutes' walk from car line? If so, we have it. A new 5 room bungalow, fully modern, on one acre of high, level land, all in lawn and garden, beautiful view of city; lots in this district selling for \$50; all we ask for this house and acre is \$1,700; \$200 cash, balance arranged.

PRINCETON SOON TO BE ON THE RAILWAY

Train Service Looked for by First of December—Hastening Work.

Princeton, B. C., Oct. 18.—While the rail head has not reached Princeton station it is near enough to say that the town is now linked by two inseparable bands of steel with the rest of the world. The tracklayers were delayed with shortage of material but they forged ahead with such good effect that steel is now within two or three minutes' walk of the center of town.

The spur to the V.F.M.C.'s coal mine will not be finished for about two weeks although the work is being pushed with all speed.

Ballasting and surfacing is being carried on with all the help available and it looks encouraging for regular train service about the first of December. In any case the new order of communication and train regulation, mail and telegraph service should be in operation before the new year.

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HOUSES TO LET.

2548 QUADRA STREET, large modern house, \$35.00.

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1226 PANDORA STREET, 5-room Cottage, \$20.00.

714 KING'S ROAD, 6 rooms, \$18.00.

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506 GOVERNMENT STREET, James Bay, large modern house with 3 lots, \$45.00.

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MONEY TO LOAN, FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

News of the Province

FAREWELL SOCIAL TO SOOKE RESIDENTS

Presentations Made to Mr. Way and Miss Dewar for Church Services.

(Special Correspondence.)

A social farewell was given to the fishermen, also to Mr. Way and family in their retirement from Sooke, and Miss Dewar, who ably filled the position of organist for the evening services. A well-filled church took part in the services, conducted by the missionary in charge. Excellent entertainment was contributed by Miss Wilson, Victoria, in her rendition of "Star of the East," and "Kilnarnock," Miss Anderson, of Otter Point, in several songs; Mrs. and Miss Murray, of Sooke, who gave Scotch readings in humorous vein, assisted by Mr. Anderson and Mr. Way. Mrs. J. A. Murray acting as accompanist.

J. W. Burns, on behalf of the fishermen and congregation, presented Mr. Dewar with a purse as an appreciation for cheerfully rendered service as organist. Mr. French replying on her behalf.

J. A. Murray read an address and presented Mr. Way with a gold chain as a memento of esteem and appreciation. Bonnycastle Dale and Mr. French fittingly acknowledged the good things provided in refreshment for body and mind. The proceedings closed by Mrs. Murray and Miss Wilson singing "Will Ye No Come Back Again."

In the course of the address which Mr. Murray read he said:

"Since our friend Mr. Way came among us he has taken a deep, intelligent and active interest in the movement having for its object the furthering of the interests of the district, whether in a temporal or spiritual way, and his removal from our midst will leave a blank not easy to fill, in every association formed by us. One of the first duties Mr. Way undertook on coming here was the organizing and superintending of the Sunday school, and in connection with this he has displayed untiring zeal, making a point of being regularly at the school and making the instruction given to the young people so attractive and interesting to them that no inclemency of weather was sufficient to prevent their attendance on Sunday morning, and we trust that in the future the fruit of the lessons learned there, may appear in the lives of these little ones."

"In connection with the Farmers' Institute, of which he was vice-president, as also with the Local Development League, Mr. Way could always be depended on to help to the utmost of his ability with his wise advice, his labor and his means. Whenever we found ourselves in a difficult position, Mr. Way, first thought was to apply to Mr. Way, and if it was in his power to help, we never applied in vain. We trust some day to see the scheme which he evolved for the clearing of land taken up by the government and put into practice, providing farms and homes for the settlers from all parts who are flocking into our province. As church trustee he was the right man in the right place, and his position there as in the Sunday school, will be difficult to fill."

"Being a many-sided man Mr. Way, though of a peace-loving disposition, held the view that every man, if required, should be able to take his part in defence of his country and consequently."

constantly he took a warm interest in the Sooke Rifle Club, which will lose an enthusiastic and reliable member by his leaving. Such being the character of Mr. Way, his friends and neighbors felt the impossibility of allowing him to leave the district without some token of their regard and esteem. The upshot being that we are met together this evening to give our friend a small parting gift, trusting that it may serve in the future to bring back pleasant recollections of the years he spent in Sooke. This gift takes the form of a gold watch chain, as we hope its links will remind him of the many links of friendship and good-fellowship which bind him to the people of Sooke, and being a chain we trust it may some day be the means of drawing him and his amiable wife and family back to the old quarter, where a warm welcome will always await them."

Miss Wilson, of Victoria, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murray, Wellpark. Her welcome solos were much appreciated by Knox congregation on Sabbath.

Mr. Fox, Victoria, has taken up his residence here for the future. He is accorded a welcome as a most desirable citizen.

The fishing camps are finishing the season's business.

Captain Mathers and family have recently left. In Mr. Mathers Sooke looks a most estimable citizen, as it is his intention to reside in Alaska. Everyone has a good word for the gallant captain.

Mr. Charters has added a planing mill to his sawmill, a most desirable addition to the industries of the place.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT BLAMED

E. A. Haggen Acquitted at Kamloops Assizes—Jury's Opinion.

Kamloops, B. C., Oct. 18.—At the assizes here, presided over by Mr. Justice Morrison, verdicts of not guilty were returned in two well-known local Chinamen, Ah Loure and Sing, were charged with attempting to bribe Mayor Robinson with a \$10 bill in a police court case where he sat as magistrate. The case was first tried before Mr. Justice Clements at last assizes. After being out ten minutes the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

The now famous Haggen case, from the city of Revelstoke, which secured a change of venue to Kamloops a few months ago, was next taken up. There was a little sparring between the counsel before the hearing proceeded.

The evidence of several witnesses was taken after which the counsel addressed the jury. D. B. Macdonnell, appearing for the accused, said that in all his experience at the bar he had never seen a more atrocious case and he thought that it was time that men were stopped from using the courts to promote private ends. W. A. Macdonald, K.C., for the crown said that there was really no occasion to attach any blame to the attorney-general in this case as had been suggested.

The jury was out only a short time when they returned a verdict of "not guilty" with a rider that in their opinion the case should never have been organized against the accused.

A. E. Haggen, who is the publisher of the Mail-Herald in Revelstoke and well known in Kamloops, was thereupon honorably discharged.

Constable Thompson, of Salmon Arm, accused of allowing an Indian prisoner to escape, was acquitted, without the case going to the jury, it being plain that Magistrate Leonard had blundered.

Johnny McLean, and Indian charged with horse-stealing, got off.

The crown prosecutor during these assizes was W. A. Macdonald, K.C., of Nelson.

A DUNCAN WEDDING.

Duncan, B. C., Oct. 18.—A very quiet wedding took place in Victoria on Wednesday last, when Miss K. McCrimmon, formerly in charge of the Sahtlam school, was united in marriage to Mr. Walter S. Robinson of Duncan. The happy couple left on the evening boat for Seattle, en route for Chicago, where the honeymoon will be spent. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson take up their residence in Duncan upon their return.

KELOWNA SEEKS FOR CONTROL OF WATER

Will Ask for Bill at Next Legislative Session.

Kelowna, B. C., Oct. 18.—At last council meeting the mayor said that city council for two years past had contemplated getting a private bill introduced in the legislature in order to secure control of irrigation water within the city limits, but there had not been time after each municipal election for the council to take the necessary preliminary steps before the opening of the legislative session. He thought the present council ought to pass the preliminary work such as advertising in order to give their successors a chance to obtain the desired legislation.

Ald. Bailey said he had spoken to Price Ellison M.P.P. about the method of procedure, and had been informed by him that the intention of the council to apply for a private bill had to be advertised in the B. C. Gazette and a local newspaper for at least 60 days prior to the session of the legislature. The present water act did not seem to apply to the circumstances of Kelowna, and a private bill appeared necessary. He approved of the mayor's suggestion that this year's council should undertake the required advertising and notice was given of intention to introduce a by-law.

IMPROVEMENTS ON C.P.R. AT KAMLOOPS

Eighty Thousand Dollars is Being Spent There by the Company.

Kamloops, B. C., Oct. 18.—The C.P.R. is spending considerable money along the local divisions and as a result the various departments will be improved to an extent that will facilitate and enhance the service.

At Spence's Bridge large coal chutes have been erected. The chutes will hold one hundred tons of coal which will supply at least ten locomotives. There

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Col. A. W. Davidson, land commissioner of the Canadian Northern railway, left the city for Vancouver this afternoon. He describes himself as "Farmer" Davidson and will spend some time on the coast before proceeding east. He is deeply interested in the Fraser River Lumber Company, with immense sawmills at Millside, near New Westminster.

Col. Davidson will visit the mills and also the company's lumber camps near Comox. He expects to spend two or three weeks on the coast before returning.

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CHIEF LANGLEY MAKES SUGGESTION TO COUNCIL

Asks That By-Law Be Amended in One Important Particular.

Chief of Police John Langley forwarded a letter to the council last evening suggesting certain amendments to the streets by-law whereby it will be possible, in cases where refuse matter is thrown upon the streets or sidewalks, for the police to hold the landowners of the premises liable. As the by-law reads at present only the person who deposited the refuse on the streets can be summoned and in the majority of cases it is practically impossible to discover the offender's identity.

Ald. Turner called attention to the desirability of instructing the police to pick up things which have been dropped on the street. He knew of instances where slabs of wood had been dropped on the street from carts and the police failed to pick them up. This ought not to be.

Ald. Ross was of the opinion that the street superintendent ought to get busy. He was the man in his opinion that was primarily responsible for the condition of the streets.

Ald. Stewart said that while on this subject he wished to point out the desirability of issuing instructions to prevent carts employed in carrying away material from excavations, dropping quantities of this material all along the route. The carts should be "trimmed" before starting. This was always done in up-to-date cities.

Ald. Bishop favored close attention being given to the supervision of the operation of scavenger's carts.

The letter was referred to the legislative committee.

The city engineer reported on the cost of putting down a permanent pavement on Broad street from Johnson street to Cormorant, and on Pandora avenue from Douglas to Government. He said he would like to see wood

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